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LOCAL WEATHER REPORT.

YESTERDAY: Maximum temperature, 72 deg.; minimum, 61 deg. Wind, 8 a.m., east, velocity 1 mile; 5 p.m., west, velocity 8 miles. At midnight the temperature was 64 deg.; cloudy.

TODAY: At 5 a.m. the temperature was 61 deg.; cloudy.

Forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Cloudy and unsettled; probably showers; fresh southwest wind.

San Francisco and vicinity: Cloudy, unsettled, with showers; fresh southwest winds.

[The complete Weather Report, including Comparative Temperatures, will be found on page 8.]

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LABOR.

WILD MEN ROAM SOO.

Mob of Idlers In Awful Riot.

Ignorant Foreign Laborers Destroy Much Property and Imperil Lives Indiscriminately.

Consolidated Lake Superior Company's Officers Attacked. Windows Broken.

Split in Iron Workers' Convention Appears Inevitable—Gotham Building Fight on to Finish.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAULT STE. MARIE (Mich.) Sept. 28.—Tonight the situation in the Canadian Soo, which has been the scene of serious rioting by the discharged employés of the Consolidated Lake Superior Company all day, is very grave.

No reinforcements of militia have arrived from outside, and the only defense against the mob, which grows hourly, is a more or less demoralized police department and a small company of militiamen.

An assault upon the office building of the company by the mob early this afternoon, before the arrival on the grounds of troops, was successful and a mass of frenzied rioters secured possession of the ground floor of the building, destroying everything movable that came in their path. A crowd of the office staff, with drawn revolvers, prevented their gaining access to the upper floors of the building. Every window and door in the building was smashed in. The arrival of the troops on the ground about 2 o'clock, armed with ball cartridges, served to restore some semblance of order. The rioters then contented themselves with throwing stones at the building and hurling invectives at the soldiers, who established a "dead line" and prevented any approach toward the building by any of the rioters.

The greatest number of the mob are ignorant Italians, Finns, Norwegians and Frenchmen, the latter perhaps the hardest of all to handle. All have been drinking more or less, although the saloons this afternoon obeyed the order to close. The mob is one that cannot be reasoned with, and the man they seem most anxious to get at is Mr. Coyne, the assistant manager, who, in the absence of Mr. Shields, is in charge of the works. Mr. Coyne has discreetly kept out of sight all day.

Late this afternoon the leaders of the mob held a conference and demanded that the company house the men in their hotel and boarding-house and feed them until the money for their wages is forthcoming. In order to appease the crowd this demand was granted, and the men have taken possession of the White House, a large boarding-house operated by the company. Provisions are being sent there to feed them, and the men purpose to hold a monster mass meeting at this place tonight. As their leaders are making the most inflammable sort of speeches, grave fears are entertained for the outcome of the meeting.

An attempt is being made to put the street-car system in the Canadian Soo, which suspended operations this morning after an attack had been made on it, into operation again. Two cars were sent out late this afternoon heavily guarded. Inasmuch as most of the rioters were not in the streets at the time this trial was made, no disorder occurred, but it is feared that when the meeting breaks up tonight the attack upon the cars will be renewed.

It is estimated that there are two thousand men in the Soo tonight and these are reinforced by all the idle rabble in town. A train carrying 400 more woodsmen is expected to arrive on the Algoma Central tonight. The local police force is being strengthened by all the deputies who can be found, each man being given a badge and a revolver and ordered to use the latter whenever necessary. Much feeling has been aroused over the shooting of two Frenchmen by the police during the trouble this morning. The rioters declare that the officers used their revolvers when it was unnecessary. Neither of the men is fatally hurt.

The mob threatens an attack upon Police Headquarters with the view of effecting the release of all the men who have been arrested. Both this building and that occupied by the Fire Department are guarded against attack.

The problem today's developments have created is beyond the solution of any of the company officials on the ground. Apparently their only hope is that the anger of the mob will spend itself and that the men will get out of town by degrees.

NIGHT EXCITEMENT.

The mass meeting of the men held tonight in the White House, the big boarding-house of the company, which has been turned over to the men, was unexpectedly quiet and orderly. An attempt was made to allay the passions of the men by an offer made by the Brotherhood of Woodsmen, an organization maintained among the lumbermen, to furnish an attorney free of charge, to collect all pay checks left in his hands. The meeting broke up without any particular confusion or disorder.

About 10:30 o'clock an alarm of fire was turned in from the pulp mills and the department responded, but no blaze could be discovered. The turning in of the alarm was evidently the work of some of the rough element which has gathered in large proportions to help along the work of disorder.

An effort was made late tonight to get a body of the rioters to cross the river to the American side and put the power-house and street railway out of commission, but it was not successful. On account of this rumor the local company of State troops was mobilized at the armory and some extra policemen were put on duty. A battalion of regulars from Toronto are expected to arrive tomorrow morning and their coming is awaited with feverish impatience. Another company of militia from Sudbury is expected by midnight.

The officials of the Algoma Central have refused to send a train for the 400 men who are in the lumber camps of the company. The men in the camps have been made aware of this decision by their friends in town and the whole body of men is now marching into town.

The gravest fears are expressed for the outcome when this body of men reach the Soo. They are very angry that the company, which refuses to pay them wages, should refuse to even furnish them transportation back to civilization.

ATTACK ON OFFICERS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAULT STE. MARIE (Mich.) Sept. 28.—The mob of discharged employés had been put off the premises, when they demanded their promised wages today, when they broke away from all the restraint of the large force of special police and smashed every window in the magnificent office building of the company in the Canadian Soo, charged upon the street cars and demanded that the conductors and motormen join them. They were only prevented from doing further damage by a clever ruse of one of the company's officials, who turned in a fire alarm to divert attention. Almost every man in the crowd was armed. A determined assault was made upon one of the entrances of the building, but the door was defended by those inside, who fired a number of shots without effect. The hardware store of W. H. Plummer & Co. was broken into last night and every gun and revolver in stock was stolen, together with all the ammunition that could be found.

The authorities called out the local company of militia and telegraphed an urgent request to Toronto for both the regulars and more militia. The local militia company is small and totally incapable of coping with the situation. Orders were issued to close all saloons in the Canadian Soo, but up to noon none of them had been closed. A mob marched upon a saloon near the company's works, whose owner enraged the men by offering to cash their checks for ten cents on the dollar. Crowds of idle men filled the streets and the Canadian Soo was completely terrorized.

A meeting of the employés of the company was held today and its proceedings were of the most heated character. The particular grievance which seems to have inflamed the men was the promises of pay today, when the men who made the promises, the employés believe, knew they could not be fulfilled. Immediately after the meeting adjourned the men went in a body to the office of the company, determined to get their money or get "half satisfaction," as they put it.

On the doors of the office, which were guarded by the police, a notice was posted which said: "The president and directors in New York have been unable to raise the money to pay today the wages and salaries now due the men and officers of the company. Advices received from New York this morning indicate that our president and directors have a plan to raise the money necessary to not only pay the men, but to start up the works, that seems to promise success."

This notice, instead of allaying the excitement of the crowd, estimated to number 1500, made them furious, and despite the efforts of the police, stones and other missiles soon filled the air, directed at the windows of the office building, inside of which could be seen the officials of the company. Someone then turned in an alarm of fire, and when the firemen responded, several streams of water were turned on the crowd and they were driven from the building. The attack of the street cars followed, and in order to avoid a clash all the cars on the Canadian side were ordered to the barn.

In the conflict between the mob and the police, Patrolmen Littlewood and Stinson were seriously injured. Two other policemen were injured more or less seriously. A magistrate read the riot act to the mob, but the rioters defied him.

RED TAPE CAUSES DELAY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

OTTAWA, Sept. 28.—A request has been made to the Minister of Militia to send troops to the Soo to suppress riots there. The application, however, was irregular, and the Minister replied that as soon as application was made in the regular way by the municipality it would be attended to at once.

RECEIVER APPOINTED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW HAVEN (Ct.) Sept. 28.—John G. Carruth of Philadelphia, president of the Industrial Trust, Title and Savings Company, was today appointed receiver for the Consolidated Lake Superior Company by Judge Platt in the United States District Court. His bond was placed at $10,000. Judge Harrison of this city, counsel for the company, said the company consented to the appointment of the receiver. The application for the receivership was presented by attorneys for certain stockholders of the company.

DOESN'T AFFECT SALE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Concerning the appointment of John G. Carruth as receiver for the Consolidated Lake Superior Company, Charles H. Tweed of Speyer & Co. said: "The action of the Connecticut court will not interfere with the sale of the securities of the Consolidated company, October 1. The appointment of a receiver places the affairs of the company in the hands of an individual. No arrangements have been made for postponing the sale, and I know nothing of the report that Mr. Cleurg had raised the $5,050,000 cash needed to satisfy our claim."

TO BREAK OMAHA FOUR.

BARTENDERS MAY WITHDRAW.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

OMAHA (Neb.) Sept. 28.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] There is a strong likelihood that the Omaha Bartenders' Union will withdraw from the so-called "Big Four" amalgamation, which includes the bartenders, waiters, cooks and the cooks' helpers. The question of withdrawing from the cooks, waiters and cooks' helpers has been before the bartenders for some time and nearly every union bartender is in favor of it.

The strike of the waiters last spring brought the matter to a head. It caused twelve of the best-paid bartenders in town to lose their positions because they had to walk out when non-union waiters were installed in the hotels and cafés where they worked. The men thought this an injustice, as they were all satisfied with their wages, which in some cases were twice as much as the scale, and they had no grievance against their employers. Only three of these men have returned to work. The others are dissatisfied and a considerable feeling of sympathy for them has been worked up.

NO STRIKE ON U. P.

BOILER MAKERS ARE SATISFIED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

OMAHA (Neb.) Sept. 28.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At the Union Pacific headquarters the persistent rumors that there will be another strike of machinists and boiler makers along the line are denied. The officials say the union men are satisfied with their work and are not contemplating a strike at this time. As to the agreement that piece work should be abandoned October 1 they say this question will be satisfactorily arranged when the time comes to meet it.

IRON WORKERS TO SPLIT.

FACTIONS PLOTTING TROUBLE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 28.—The dove of peace that settled over the delegates to the convention of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers, for a brief period on Saturday has been rudely disturbed over Sunday and this morning the tension between the Buchanan and Parks contestants was close to the breaking point. Before the convention met today a split seemed inevitable.

Sam Parks refused to desert the caucus he and his followers held last night with the avowed intention of mapping out a campaign to capture the convention and elect H. F. Donnelly of Albany as president, and President Buchanan was equally reticent in talking of the alleged plans of the anti-Parks element to walk out if the turbulent New York element should continue its antagonistic tactics. The report of the committee on the president's address, in which it was believed President Buchanan would be attacked for his attitude in the New York troubles, was one of the matters up for consideration met behind closed doors.

Daniel Brophy, who held a proxy from Scranton, Pa., and who was unseated last week, sat in the convention this morning, but without a vote. Last week when he was unseated he left the hall in an angry mood and refused any invitation to attend the sessions.

The day's sessions of the convention were taken up entirely with routine matters. The Parks crowd helped clear up the small business and no signs of an open fight between the two factions were visible. President Buchanan made an appeal for harmony, and his talk had the effect, at least temporarily, of quieting the troublesome New Yorkers. "It's the lull before the storm," said one delegate after the convention had adjourned for the day.

The sum total of the day's work was the granting of a charter to the architectural iron workers of Chicago, a strong labor body, which has perhaps six thousand members throughout the country, and a decision to send delegates to the convention of the Building Trades Alliance, to be held at Indianapolis next month. An important petition presented by half a dozen western locals recommended that the convention take some action to force certain western railroads to pay standard wages or to let their bridge work to contractors who are fair to organized labor.

GOTHAM BUILDERS' FIGHT.

WILL BE TO THE DEATH.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Charles L. Eidlitz, president of the Building Trades Employers' Association, has issued a statement declaring that the employers have not given up their fight against the unions which are opposing the plans for labor settlements on the employers' arbitration plan. He said:

"While it is true that building contracts are being cancelled and the volume of building will be greatly curtailed, it is also true that we are going to carry our fight to a finish, with the view of establishing a condition of affairs that will enable us some time to resume work under better relations with our employés. Instead of relaxing, we shall fight harder than ever before.

"It is now squarely up to the unions themselves as to how the fight ends. If the men choose to follow false and dangerous leaders they alone will be responsible for the result."

TYPO OATH UNLAWFUL.

BISHOP SCANNELL UNCHANGED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

OMAHA, Sept. 28.—Rt. Rev. Bishop Scannell of the Omaha diocese of the Catholic church, today made a statement in reply to that of President Lynch of the Typographical Union, who defended its Catholic members who have taken the obligations of that union. Bishop Scannell said:

"My attitude in this matter has been misunderstood if not misrepresented. The Typographical Union has not been

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PANAMA'S NEW ROW.

Cable Rights as a Cause for War.

Scrymser's Company to Put the Screws on Colombia by the First of October.

That Government May Retaliate by Seizing the Office Located on the Isthmus.

Revolutionary Sentiment Finds no Sympathy at Washington, Even Though Favorable.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

COLON, Sept. 28.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Advices have been received from Bogota to the effect that Congress has passed a law authorizing the President to conclude a canal treaty with the United States, on a certain basis, without the approval of the Congress.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The efforts of the Central and South American Telegraph Company to coerce the government of Colombia into granting an extension and an enlargement of the concession for cable privileges threaten to have an injurious effect upon the canal negotiations. The State Department is keenly interested in the matter, and through Minister Beaupré at Bogota is endeavoring to adjust the differences amicably, but at present with slight prospects of success. President Scrymser of the cable company called on Acting Secretary of State Adee today, and said he had reasons to expect a satisfactory outcome of the difficulty, but the State Department advices from Minister Beaupré are to the contrary effect.

This cable company controls the line running from Panama to Buena Ventura, on the west coast of Colombia, whence a land line of 400 miles runs to Bogota and is the only connection with the outside world. This land line is operated by the Colombian government. The cable company's concession expires next year, and the company now demands of Colombia that an extension of the concession shall be granted for twenty years, and that exclusive privileges shall be given of operating cables on both the eastern and western coasts of Colombia.

Colombia refuses to grant this demand, and the cable company threatens to close its office at Buena Ventura October 1, leaving Bogota without communication. Colombia is now considering the feasibility of retaliating by seizing the cable company's office at Panama, which pays $2000 per day. This would paralyze the cable company, as all its lines run via Panama.

The people of Panama are intensely excited over the threat of the Bogota government to close the cable office, which would leave that city isolated from the world. The State Department apprehends that if the threat is carried out, the revolution that has been impending at Panama will break out and result in a civil war, which would force the United States to intervene in order to keep communication open across the isthmus, as guaranteed by the treaty of 1846.

Colombians declare that the cable company foresees that the United States will build a canal at Panama, and that if the cable rights on both coasts of Colombia are gobbled up, immense tolls can be squeezed from the United States during the construction of the cable. Therefore, Colombia refuses to grant these exclusive privileges, preferring to face a revolution in Panama. It is positively declared at the State Department that this government will take no hand in encouraging a revolution at Panama, even though the secession of that State and the erection of an independent republic would bring about speedy construction of a canal under American control.

President Scrymser said today that his company would under no circumstances back down from its ultimatum, and that if the desired rights were not granted by October 1, the Buena Ventura office would be closed. This is certain to force retaliatory measures by the Bogota government, and it therefore appears probable that within a few days important, and possibly revolutionary, news may come from Panama.

GALE IN BERMUDA.

Houses Blown Down or Unroofed and Crops Throughout the Island Destroyed—Hurricane Ends in Evening.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

HAMILTON (Bermuda) Sept. 28.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A heavy gale from the east-southeast began at 10 o'clock this morning, and increased in strength until it became a hurricane, changing to northeast and then to northwest. Considerable damage was done to property and crops throughout the island. Many houses were blown down, while others had their roofs torn off.

The storm ended at 5 o'clock this evening. Tonight the barometer stands at 29.20.

WALL STREET'S GLOOMY TIME.

Stream of Liquidation Still Continues to Puzzle.

Fears of Over-extension Have Resulted in Contraction.

Sailing Fever Must Run Its Course—Money Stringency Not Materializing.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Declines ranging from 2 to 5 points were recorded on the Stock Exchange today, and the trading was accompanied by a feeling of uneasiness and fear that prevented any outside interests from entering the market as buyers except at important concessions in prices. The long-continued decline, that was marked by intense demoralization, today was attributed almost wholly to the tying-up of funds in syndicate schemes that have exhausted the resources of many important financiers and left them powerless to offer resistance to the decline, which seems to gather fresh impetus every day.

There is no question that disastrous damage has been sustained in several quarters, and that many accounts have been so impaired by losses that securities have been sacrificed in order to hold intact lines of stock which are necessary for some of these interests to retain in order to continue in control of various properties with which they have long been identified. Sacrifices had already been made by these interests two months ago, but the relief then obtained, it now turns out, was only temporary. There was not then, and there is not now, any general buying power in the market, and those who were looked to in the past for assistance in times of trouble have now no means of rendering help, and are compelled to look on while they see the prices of valuable properties decline to unreasonable figures.

The break in the stock market in the early trading today was led by Metropolitan Street Railway, which fell more than 4 points, to 106, in the first hour. Other stocks dropped from 2 to 4 points, and everything on the list shared in the general decline. United States Steel issues, which had seemed to be supported Saturday, again made a new low record today, the new 5s selling at 93¾ before noon, the preferred at 59¾, and common stock at 15. The fact that these declines have occurred with practically nothing in the way of new developments is an indication in itself that back of the selling there has been some secret force that made the liquidation of securities imperative. There were plenty of rumors afloat mentioning the names of important interests as being involved. These rumors are to be looked for in such times, and whether they are true or not has no bearing on the future outlook.

The only apparent relief, as far as a study of the situation can demonstrate, is an abandonment of all pending syndicate schemes and the substitution for syndicates of trusteeships with negotiable certificates. One banking house alone now holds more than $200,000,000 of funds deposited by participants in various syndicate underwritings. These participants have nothing on which they could obtain either credit or cash, and it is easy to see that the tying-up of this huge amount of resources from one financial district must, after the long period in which funds have been tied up, cripple many of those who joined in the underwritings.

Trusteeships with negotiable certificates would give them all tokens of value upon which they could realize to some extent in times of necessity like the present. This can hardly be called a drastic step. It would take no great effort on the part of the syndicate managers to put it into execution, and it would give relief at once to an important and widely-distributed element that can obtain relief from no other source.

YESTERDAY'S DEALINGS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Wall street spent another gloomy day which was devoted mostly to trying to puzzle out where the unending stream of liquidation came from, and what caused it. Information on the subject, or even authoritative opinions were extremely hard to get. It is pointed out that the great bankers and capitalists were not heard from in warning, last year, during the high range of prices, while they were seeking a profitable market for their holdings at this level. From this it is inferred that the buyers of a class which decides market movements would not be heard of inciting others to buy if they were themselves seeking securities on cheap terms in the present market.

There is, in fact, rather a notable lack of public quotations of authority pointing to the cheapness of stocks which has been heard from time to time during the course of the long decline at price levels considerably above the present. But it is equally true that the men seeking a market to realize ready money at forced sale of securities are not likely to miss any means of concealing their transactions. The source of selling orders in the present market is a baffling mystery, and inferences usually drawn from the personality of the brokers employed are almost invariably at fault.

The conditions which prompt the liquidation and the probable limits of its extent are consequently the cause of grave disquiet and apprehension. It was the failure of stock-pooling operations that brought the early selling, and the losses reported were almost wholly on paper, as the previous gains had been. But later episodes represent the failure of enterprises in which extensive capital has been embarked, at demonstrably unproductive employment. Capital thus sunk is capital lost.

Comptroller Ridgeley's expression, before the Maryland and Washington bankers, that "a large percentage of the loaning power has gone into unproductive interests," formulates the dread of Wall street over the present situation. The reaction in the iron and steel industries, the high interest rates, especially on mercantile paper, and the curtailment of production in other lines caused the fear that overextension has spread to industrial and commercial lines representing additional "unproductive interests," to be followed by liquidation and contraction.

The present course of the banks is directed toward conserving the commercial and industrial needs of credits, and to this end they are inexorable to all promotions and financing projects. The miscarriage of these projects is still the cause of most of the liquidation. While the great majority of Wall street's prominent men show a decided disinclination to talk for publication, inquiry among the very highest interests elicits statements that nothing of serious or untoward character is apprehended. Jacob H. Schiff of Kuhn, Loeb & Co., commenting upon stock-market conditions, said:

"It is simply a fever which must run its course, just as we had a buying fever two years ago, and even last year. So the selling fever has now taken hold of the people, and reason counts for nothing.

"No matter what may be said as to the causes which have brought about the present situation, prevailing conditions throughout the country do not justify the existing great decline in substantial securities. The time will come when people will wonder how conditions such as we see now could have existed.

"It does not appear likely that the much-feared money stringency will materialize. In fact, money is abundant now, only those who control the supply are afraid in the uncertain state of affairs to part with it. The consequence is that we have a superabundant supply of money on daily call, while time money cannot be had in large amounts.

"But this will change, especially as it is almost certain that with the inability of corporations to finance their requirements, general business throughout the country must, after a time, fall off, and when that moment arrives, we shall have a large amount of funds seeking employment. These surplus funds will, to some extent, determine the value, for ordinary purposes, of a superabundant volume of currency, and we shall again witness an increased demand for securities. It is not at all unlikely, however, that when railroad earnings begin to decrease, because of reduced general business the values of railroad securities will begin to again increase."

LONDONERS ANXIOUS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Sept. 28.—The renewed heavy realizations, chiefly in the listed investment securities, caused a demonstration on the stock markets today, almost amounting to a panic. Consols once touched 87⅝, being a full point beneath the lowest reached during the Franco-German war. The heavy liquidation is said to be due to the needs of American financiers and speculators.

Apprehension is felt regarding the position in Wall street, and anxiety is entertained concerning the stock exchange settlement here Wednesday. There are rumors of probable failures, which, in the best-informed quarters, however, are said to be exaggerated. The slump in United States Steel stock caused some anxiety as to its probable effect on Andrew Carnegie's library endowments. It is said, however, that Carnegie views the slump with the utmost complacency. An appeal to him today on this subject elicited the following response:

"Mr. Carnegie never owned any second-mortgage bonds or shares of the United States Steel trust. His bonds are first-mortgage bonds covering all the property, and are not quoted upon the Stock Exchange."

GIRL RUNS MEXICAN CITY.

Yellow Fever Epidemic Takes All Officials of Linares and Mayor's Daughter Holds All Offices at Once.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CHICAGO, Sept. 28.—A dispatch to the Record-Herald from Linares, Mex., says that Miss Manuela Flores is Mayor, Treasurer, Secretary, City Attorney, City Clerk and stenographer of that city, all the officials having fallen victims to yellow fever. Señor Flores was the Mayor and was the first person to be attacked. Miss Manuela was her father's secretary. When he was stricken the Governor appointed her acting Mayor. So well has she filled the position that she has been commissioned to remain in office until the expiration of her father's term.

The city had a population of 15,000, but now there are less than 3000 residents, the others either having died or fled. President Diez has commended the work of Miss Flores highly, and it is stated that Congress will vote her a medal for bravery during the epidemic.

PORTO RICO SCHOOL STRUGGLE.

SAN JUAN (P. R.) Sept. 28.—Twelve hundred schools in Porto Rico were opened today, and 80,000 pupils were received. Three times that number of children were enrolled, and the struggle for preference was very great.

MILLIONS IN SUIT CASE.

A Bureau Clerk Saves the Government Exorbitant Express Charges.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Marian E. Beall of Fort Wayne, Ind., an unbonded clerk in the Bureau of Insular Affairs, who receives a salary of $1800 a year, carried $3,000,00 in crisp $1000 bills of government currency in a suit case from Washington to New York, the other day. Beall is again at his desk in the bureau, and the story of his trip was told this morning by Col. Edwards chief of the division. Naturally, the officials did not tell of Beall"s journey before he made it.

Under the direction of the Insular Department the mints in this country and the Bureau of Printing and Engraving here have been making money for use in the Philippines. To Beall was assigned the duty of overseeing the shipment of the money to the island possessions. He went around to see the express companies, who wanted $800 for carrying the money to New York.

Col. Edwards, chief of the bureau, not satisfied with this price, remarked to Beall:

"What's the matter with you putting the money in a suit case and taking it?"

"Why, sure," replied Beall, "if you are willing to trust me with it."

Beall left on an early morning train, unescorted, and arrived safely in New York with his treasure.

WASHINGTON.

OUR TRAFFIC WITH MEXICO.

Largest on Record During Last Fiscal Year.

Greatest Growth in Exports of Iron and Steel.

Committee to Investigate Printing Office Charges—Immigration Heavily Increased.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] During the year ending June 30, 1903, the value of goods imported from Mexico by the United States amounted to $41,315,711, while on the other hand Mexico purchased from American merchants $42,257,106 worth of goods.

According to the latest available Mexican statistics, about 60 per cent. of the total value of goods imported by that country in the fiscal year 1902 came from the United tSates, as compared with a little over 55 per cent. in 1890. Of goods exported from Mexico, we took about 80 per cent. in 1902 and about 68 per cent. in 1890. Our commerce with Mexico during the last fiscal year was the largest on record.

Copper and vegetable fibers form the largest individual items of our imports from Mexico, and iron and steel products constitute our largest exports to that country. Detailed statistics for 1903 are not yet available, but in 1902 our imports of copper and ore and regulus (ore composition) were almost $16,000,000, as compared with less than $100,000 in 1892. Our imports of pigs, bars, ingots, etc., of copper increased in the same time from $34,000 to nearly $3,750,000.

Of unmanufactured vegetable fibers (mainly sisal grass,) our imports increased from $5,500,000 to over $12,000,000.

Exports of iron and steel not only constitute the largest item of our Mexican trade, but show the largest growth, in the last ten years the exports of machinery alone increasing from about $1,500,000 to over $7,000,000. Other items which show large gains are breadstuffs, vehicles, chemicals, coal and coke, copper ore, vegetable oils and lumber.

INFLUX OF IMMIGRANTS.

HEAVY INCREASE IN AUGUST.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28.—The Bureau of Immigration, in a statement given out today, reports a heavy increase in immigration to the United States during the month of August, 1903, as compared with August, 1902. The total number of immigrants was 64,977, against 45,549 a year ago.

The statement shows marked increases in the immigration from Austria-Hungary, Denmark, Finland, Germany, kngland, Italy, Russia, Scotland and Wales. A slight decrease is noted in the immigration from Sweden, but Norway shows an increase. There was a decrease in the number of immigrants from Asia, though Chinese immigration increased slightly. There were 810 immigrants debarred, of whom 554 were paupers, 156 diseased, 6 convicts, 7 polygamists, 95 contract laborers and one was idiotic. Sixty-six were returned one year after landing.

Out of the total arrivals, 48,000 were at the port of New York. The increase in immigration for the first two months of the present fiscal year is 38 per cent.

PRINTING OFFICE CHARGES.

INVESTIGATORS APPOINTED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28.—As a result of recent criticism of the list of charges made by the Government Printing Office for the printing and bookbinding done in that institution for the various departments of the government, Public Printer Palmer today announced the appointment of a committee to investigate these charges. The complaints of the excessive charges made by the government were an outgrowth of the discussion over the case of William A. Miller, assistant foreman of the bookbindery, against whose retention the Bookbinders' Union is waging a fight.

In connection with the complaints against the schedule of charges, the Public Printer points out that no profit has ever been expected for the kind of work, and that the government merely charges cost prices and then adds 10 per cent. to cover the administrative expense of non-productive labor, such as messengers, doorkeepers, watchmen, etc.

COMMANDER HUGHES DEAD.

IN YOKOHAMA HOSPITAL.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28.—Rear-Admiral P. H. Cooper, commanding the northern squadron of the Asiatic fleet, has advised the Navy Department by cable of the death yesterday at the Yokohama hospital of Commander E. M Hughes. He was assigned to duty last November on the Asiatic squadron in command of the gunboat Annapolis. He entered the service in 1866, and for conspicuous service was awarded an additional number in grade.

CALIFORNIA BANKS.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The condition of the national banks of California, exclusive of San Francisco and Los Angeles, September 9, as announced by the Comptroller of the Currency today, was as follows: Loans and discounts, $20,301,135, against $18,128,197 June 9; lawful money reserve in bank, $2,487,909; total resources, $36,671,445, against $34,267,372 June 9; individual deposits, $25,369,411, against $23,935,148 June 9.

CANAL BILL OUTLOOK.

AMENDMENTS IN PROSPECT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28.—The following bulletin today was posted at the State Department:

"The Department of State received today, at 1:12 p.m., a cable message from Minister Beaupre, dated September 27, 8 p.m. He reported that there had been no change in the situation in respect to the canal matter. A second debate on the bill reported by the committee is expected within a few days, and it is thought it may be defeated. The present outlook is for some amendments of the reported bill."

NO NEW PANAMA PROPOSAL.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—A Colombian Senator, who appears to have reliable information, according to a dispatch from Bogota, says that the commission appointed to draft a new proposition for a Panama Canal, will report the same to be useless. The Senate will examine the legality of the canal company's extension of time on the contract of Mancini Caldron before taking any new action on the canal proposition again.

DELAWARE INDIANS LOSE.

HITCHCOCK HAS AUTHORITY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28.—Justice Anderson of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia rendered an opinion today in the injunction proceedinb of the Delafare Indians against Secretary Hitchcock and the Dawes Indian Commission, dissolving the temporary injunction heretofore granted. The case involved the right of the Secretary to pass on the 157,000 acres of land in the Cherokee nation segregated for the use of the Delawares. The Indians claimed that the Secretary is without authority to approve or disapprove of the segregation, as it has been approved by the Indians interested, and asked that he be enjoined against taking such action pending the adjudication of the same question by the Court of Claims. Soon after the case was filed the court granted a temporary injunction, but Judge Anderson today dissolved it.

WASHINGTON BRIEFS.

Treasury Refunds.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28.—The Treasury Department today received $1,337,700 5 per cent. bonds, and also refunded $596,800 4 per cent. bonds and $79,600 3 per cent. bonds.

Secretary Shaw's Departure.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28.—Secretary Shaw left for Chicago today.

Bic Purchase of Silver.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28.—The Treasury Department today purchased 200,000 ounces of silver at 59.75 per ounce. The purchase was made for Philippine coinage.

Affairs at St. Andrews.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28.—Edwin W. Trimmer, American Consul at Bluefields, was at the State Department today to confer with the authorities about the reported troubles at St. Andrews Island, off the Nicaraguan coast. It is expected the gunboat Nashville, which has been ordered to St. Andrews, will get under way from Pensacola today. Bluefields probably will be one of her ports of call.

Paymaster Biscoe's Protest.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28.—Action will be taken by Secretary Moody on the protest of Paymaster Harry E. Biscoe against the arraignment of the court of which Biscoe was a member for the inadequate sentence imposed upon Assistant Paymaster Rishworth Nicholson for insulting and attacking the German Consul at Chefoo. The Secretary has all the papers in the case before him. After examining them his answer to Paymaster Biscoe probably will be supplemented by an official indorsement of Admiral Evans's review.

Can Smoke in First Class.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28.—On the recommendation of Capt. Willard H. Brownson, commandant of the Naval Academy, Secretary Moody has authorized the discontinuance of the rule prohibiting smoking so far as it applies to the members of the first class. In the opinion of the Secretary the members of this class are quite old enough to be relieved of such a restriction.

GRANDPA ROCKEFELLER.

Stork Leaves a Baby Girl at the Home of Harold McCormick and Society is Kept Ignorant Eleven Days.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Sept. 28.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] John D. Rockefeller is a grandfather once again. As long ago as September 17 the stork went to the fine home of Mrs. Harold McCormick and left a baby girl. The fact did not become public until today. All society, save Mrs. McCormick's intimates, supposed that she was spending the summer gayly in the Adirondacks, but she was at home preparing dainty fabrics for the little one that was to be.

The new baby is the fourth child that has come to the McCormicks during their six years of married life. The eldest, Jack, to the intense sorrow of all the Rockefeller-McCormick connections, died three years ago at his grandfather's country seat at Tarrytown-on-Hudson. The second son, Fowler, was then not quite 2 years old.

Last fall there followed the tiny daughter, who is now a sturdy specimen of good health, although for months after her birth she was not allowed to leave the nursery, and a trained nurse was always in attendance. Mrs. Harold McCormick, who prior to her marriage with the second son of the Chicago Reaper King, was Miss Edith Rockefeller, is the kind of woman who comes up to President Roosevelt's ideal of a perfect mother and wife.

STANDARD OIL HAS RIVAL.

New York Company Sends Man to Buy Up Indiana Fields.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

RICHMOND (Ind.) Sept. 28.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Standard Oil Company, which has practically had the Indiana and Ohio fields under its control for several years past, is threatened with a dangerous opponent, and one that has already successfully bid for a portion of the important territory in Indiana. It is the New York Gas, Coal and Supply Company. A representative has been sent to the Indiana fields, and all efforts possible will be made to secure control of a big slice of the producing territory now controlled by minor corporations. The idea is to amass all possible production with a view of giving battle to the oil trust.

The company has a capital of $10,000,000, and it is alleged that this can be increased at any time that it is felt to be necessary.

HARRIMAN'S CINCH ON COAST TRAFFIC.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Sept. 28.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Among those who understand that E. H. Harriman and the Kuhn-Loeb interests have broken off relations with each other, it is further understood that today Harriman stands in a position where he can control the Union Pacific, which controls the Southern Pacific, and that he, with the Rock Island party, has enough Atchison stock to give control of that property. Harriman having formed an alliance with the Hill-Morgan interest, which owns the Northern Pacific, the Great Northern and the Burlington, the new combination, viz., the Hill-Morgan-Harriman interest, is in a position to dictate absolutely the rates on all Pacific Coast traffic.

This, it is argued, is not at all satisfactory to the Standard Oil party, and accounts for the battering-ram manipulation against United States Steel preferred and United States Steel second-mortgage bonds, which securities are largely held by the Morgan syndicate, which underwrote the bonds. In other words, it is suggested that a great railroad battle is being fought out in the market for steel stocks. Incidentally, all stocks are being depressed and the liquidation shown in the market transactions is said to represent not nearly all the selling that is going on. Many large blocks of stocks and bonds are being transferred over counters by persons who are compelled to realize cash. In many instances, where the market for the security is limited, the prices of such transfers are under the market.

TAYLOR SUIT SETTLED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The bitter fight between James R. Keene and E. H. Harriman over the Southern Pacific Railroad, which kept Wall street in trepidation during the spring months, and was one of the initial causes of the unsettling of stock-market values, has come to an end. The suit brought by Talbot J. Taylor & Co., Keene's firm, against the Union Pacific Railroad to prevent it from voting 90,000 shares of Southern Pacific stock, has been discontinued. Edward Lauterbach, counsel for Keene, today said: "The matter has been amicably settled. Within a few days an order for the discontinuance of all proceedings will be filed with the United States Circuit Court of Appeals in Cincinnati."

Lauterbach refused to go into the details of the settlement. It was the general opinion that Keene had decided that it was a useless waste of energy and money to carry litigation further, and had simply decided to abandon the suit. Since the bringing of the suit Harriman interests have been heavy purchasers of Southern Pacific stock, and in addition to the 90,000 shares owned outright by the Union Pacific Railroad, now have control of more than half of all the minority stock. This has made the position of the Harriman-Union Pacific interests practically impregnable.

TRAFFIC IN THE WEST.

LARGE ENOUGH, THOUGH LESS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Sept. 28.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Although railroad officials will not admit, it, there appears to be signs of a falling-off in general business throughout the West. Steadily-declining grain prices, an apparent pause in the great activity in the iron and steel industry and the disposition of merchants in many sections to hold off their purchases with expectation of lower prices for various commodities, will, it is believed, have an effect on merchandise shipments before long. The condition that general business is now assuming, according to well-informed business men, is that of returning to normal proportions; in other words, it is seeking a healthy level, with the abnormal strain eliminated. This is conceded to be a most desirable condition from the business man's viewpoint. While there has been a curtailment of purchases by merchants of certain lines of goods, the great buying power of the western country is still manifest and of sufficient volume to keep transportation companies exceedingly busy.

There is not much variation in estimates given out by the railroads, and farmers in frost-bitten districts as to amount of damage sustained, and most of them seem to be pretty well satisfied with the outlook. There continues to be almost an unlimited amount of confidence everywhere, despite the seemingly adverse influences that appear to assert themselves in the East. But despite the reported falling off in steel business, curtailment of anthracite output and steady declines in prices for breadstuffs and securities, there is no noticeable alarm displayed. There is, of course, a certain amount of hesitancy and even caution, pending a thorough investigation of the actual status, but by no means has it assumed a serious aspect, nor is it expected to.

Those railroad and business men who have taken a calm survey of the general situation appear to see the beginning of what they have looked for for months, that is, the beginning of a period when the great and prosperous tide of business activity, which has been so pronounced for so long a time, will begin to recede. It is, they say, only the natural outcome of that which has been overdone. There is no fear as to the soundness of the general situation, nor is there any anxiety as to the future of railroad earnings. The officials of various lines say there is enough business in sight to assure splendid returns for months to come.

There is no apparent improvement in the car situation anywhere, although there is not the grain movement there should be at this time of year. Merchandise is still moving in great volume, and, according to the week's car report, the demand for manufactured stuff is as great as ever. Traffic managers say there is no idle equipment, and they do not look for any before another spring.

In the Northwest, railroads are having a hard time to move the great amount of diversified tonnage, and many more cars could be used to great advantage than the roads can get hold of. About the same condition obtains in the Southwest, but the officials are very optimistic, notwithstanding the fact that the top notch in business seems to have been reached, for a time at least.

NORTHERN PACIFIC DYNAMITERS.

DEMANDING A BIG SUM.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PAUL, Sept. 28.—General Manager Thomas W. Cooper of the Northern Pacific Railroad today confirmed the report of dynamite outrages against that road in Montana.

"It is true," said Cooper, "that a demand for $50,000 has been made upon the Northern Pacific company by parties in Montana, and we have had more or less trouble with them for several weeks past. We do not know who the parties are, but are using all the efforts possible to discover and arrest them. We have taken sufficient precautions to make our tracks safe.

"The Northern Pacific has posted a reward of $2500 for the arrest and conviction of the dynamiters. The State of Montana has posted another reward of $5000, and Polk county, Mont., has offered another $500, making a total of $8000."

Cooper, when asked if he believed the guilty parties were professional bandits or amateurs, said: "They are dynamiters, and there are not many of them in this country."

COAL-CARRYING ROADS.

HEARST INQUIRY RESUMED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—The Interstate Commerce Commission met here today to continue the investigation into the charges made by William R. Hearst against the coal-carrying railroads.

MOTION FOR DISMISSAL.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Counsel for the railroads asked for time to prepare and submit documentary evidence, and were given until October 15 to do so. Chairman Knapp said that he wished to confer with the two members of the commission not present in regard to the commission's motion, taking further testimony in the case. Notice was given by counsel for the railroads that a motion could be made later to dismiss on the ground that Hearst has no right to bring the action, and the hearing was then adjourned.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL FINANCES.

ANNUAL REPORT GIVEN OUT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CHICAGO, Sept. 28.—The annual report of the Illinois Central Railroad Company, given out today, showed the gross receipts from traffic were $45,186,976; expenses of operation, $29,835,883, taxes, $1,962,072; the income over expense of operation and taxes being $13,488,121. The receipts from sale of lands were $15,836 and the income from investments and miscellaneous profits, $3,445,317. The total income rate, after paying interest on the [illegible] debt and bonds drawn under the sinking fund and the rent of subsidiary railroads, was $10,729,353.

With the surplus dividend fund brought forward from June 30, 1902, $4,133,446, the amount available was $12,861,840. There was paid in dividends $8,705,600; betterments, $4,851,253; set apart to provide for the difference between issues of bonds, $100,000; carried forward to surplus dividends funds, $1,173,186.

SROUFE LEAVES ESPEE.

IS COMING TO LOS ANGELES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

TUCSON (Ariz.) Sept. 28.—Announcement was made today that the resignation of C. C. Stroufe as superintendent of the Tucson division of the Southern Pacific, has been accepted. Assistant Superintendent T. R. Jones of the Sacramento division has been appointed to fill the vacancy, to take effect October 1. Col. Stroufe will go to Los Angeles to engage in business.

ARMENIAN BLOOD UP.

Cossacks Who Attempt to Seize a Church Are Stoned and Rioters Receive Volley in Return.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

TIFLIS (Russian Trans-Caucasia) Sept. 28.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The transfer of the property of the Armenian church at Shusha to the Russian authorities, according to the imperial decree issued June 25, has been attended by a conflict between Armenians and cossacks. Excited Armenians made a demonstration in front of the residence of the Governor and stoned a detachment of cossacks who attempted to disperse them. Similar crowds on the balcony and roofs of houses in the neighborhood were answered by a volley from the cossacks. According to the official reports two cossacks and one rioter were killed. But the Armenians in the darkness carried off a number of wounded persons.

Similar rioting on the part of the Armenians occurred recently near Elisabethpol and at Baku and Kars.

The failure was announced in the bankruptcy court at London yesterday of Blanche Adelesa, Dowager Countess of Rosslyn, mother of the present Earl of Rosslyn, the actor, whose stage name is James Erskine.

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HEAD OF THE NATION.

The President Returns to Washington Ready for Work—Has Perfected no Plans for the National Campaign.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28.—After an absence of thirteen weeks, spent at Oyster Bay, the President returned to Washington today. His special train arrived at 4 o'clock this afternoon. The President was accompanied by Mrs. Roosevelt, Miss Alice Roosevelt and other members of the family and by Private Secretary Loeb.

The President was greeted by several hundred people, who cheered when he entered his carriage. He also was met by Postmaster-General Payne, Col. Symons, Superintendent of Public Buildings and Grounds; Chief Wilkie and by other public officials. The President and family drove direct to the White House. The trip from New York was uneventful.

FAREWELL GREETINGS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

OYSTER BAY, Sept. 28.—The President's summer sojourn at Sagamore Hill was concluded this morning, when, at 9:30 o'clock a.m., he boarded a train en route to Washington. He has been absent from the capital for thirteen weeks and two days, and returns in the expectation of remaining there, practically uninterruptedly, until next June.

When the President, accompanied by Mrs. Roosevelt and their children, Ethel, Archie and Quentin, arrived at the Oyster Bay station, he was greeted with cheers from a great crowd of town folk, who were gathered to say farewell. The President acknowledged the greeting by tipping his hat and bowing as he passed across the platform to his train, a special of two cars. The President and his family occupied the private car of President Baldwin of the Long Island Railroad. In addition to the President and family, the party included Secretary and Mrs. Loeb, members of the executive staff, representatives of the press associations and Secret Service officers. As the train pulled out, at 8:30 o'clock, it was followed by the cheers of the crowd, while the President stood on the rear platform of his car bowing acknowledgements.

It is the President's intention to return to Oyster Bay early next summer. In the event of his nomination for the Presidency, he will remain there throughout the summer and autumn, until after the November elections. As yet, he has perfected no plans for the Presidential campaign. He has no intention of participating actively in it. It is likely, however, that he will deliver some addresses here.

On arrival at New York, the President and party were escorted across town by a squad of mounted police to the ferry, arriving at Jersey City at 10:30 o'clock, where they were joined by Miss Alice Roosevelt, who accompanied the party to Washington.

PHILADELPHIANS' GREETINGS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 28.—The train bearing the President to Washington arrived at the West Philadelphia station of the Pennsylvania Railroad at 1:04 p.m., and after changing engines, left four minutes later. The President alighted from his car and was approached by about twenty-five people, who had gathered on the platform. He smiled and said: "I am glad to see you. The crowd is so small, I guess I can shake hands with you."

One of the newspaper men in the crowd asked the President if he had enjoyed his vacation. He replied: "I did. I had a bully time, and I never felt better in my life. I am now ready for thirteen months more of hard work."

PITH OF NEWS FROM THE MIDDLE WEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Sept. 28.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Chicago weather must have appealed to thousands of visitors today, as the influx was greater than the authorities had expected. The maximum temperature of 58 and minimum of 49 was a little "airish," but the air appeared to be surcharged with an unusual amount of ozone, which made the day invigorating and led to unusual activity. The wind of twenty-one miles an hour was not so strong as to be unpleasant. A storm center which is hovering over Colorado is expected to have its effect here tomorrow, when umbrellas are likely to be in vogue. Temperatures at 7 a.m.: New York, Washington and St. Louis, 54; Boston and Philadelphia, 56; Chicago, 52; Minneapolis, 40; Cincinnati, 46.

DEATH RATE INCREASED.

The total number of deaths in Chicago last week yas 498, according to the bulletin of the Health Department. The greatest ratio was of infants under one year. Acute intestinal disease caused more deaths than any other ailment and consumption was next, with Bright's disease and pneumonia following in order. The annual death rate is 13.76 to 1000 of population, a slight increase over last year.

OLDEST RESIDENT.

One of the most conspicuous figures taking part in the Chicago cenetennial is Alexander Beaubien, whose claim to being the first living native white person born in Chicago has not been controverted. He was born January 28, 1822, when the settlement consisted of Fort Dearborn and three or four houses near the mouth of the river. His early playmates were mostly Indian children. Beaubien is 6 feet tall, finely proportioned and looks twenty years younger than his age.

FIRE CHIEF'S SUMMONS.

Just as Fire Chief Musham stepped upon the platform today to address the convention of the National Firemen's Association a blue-uniformed man dashed into the hall and informed the famous fire fighter that a 3-11 alarm had been turned in from the Standard Varnish Works. Without stopping to apologize, the Chief hurried to the scene. This brought forth a round of cheers, and most of the delegates followed to see how the Chicago department fights a great fire.

SOUTH DAKOTA CROPS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SIOUX FALLS (S. D.) Sept. 28.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Thrashing of crops is under full headway in all parts of the State, and it is predicted that the remarkably heavy yield of grain will tax the capacity of the elevators and railroads to their utmost. The railroads will have the greatest undertaking in their history to transport the crops to market.

BEETLES WASTE WINE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

INDIANAPOLIS, Sept. 28.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] F. H. Nouppert, a wine merchant, discovered today that he had lost thousands of gallons of wine through the work of an unknown species of beetle, which bores through the casks and leaves a hole which looks as if it might have been made with a hot needle. Nouppert believes that the beetles fall from a silver poplar tree near his storeroom.

CORN PALACE CROWDED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MITCHELL (S. D.) Sept. 28.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] For the past seven days the Mitchell corn palace has been crowded with visitors from all over the Northwest, and the great building, decorated on the exterior with a solid mass of corn, and on the inside with corn grains and grasses, made brilliant with thousands of electric lights, pleased all.

CHILDREN AT THE FAIR.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SPRINGFIELD (Ill.) Sept. 28.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Children's Day at the State Fair broke all records for Monday, the rush for the grounds beginning early and continuing until noon. All the public schools in the county were dismissed for the day, and every child was admitted free.

COLUMBIA RACING 'MOBE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TOLEDO, Sept. 28.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The big Columbia racing automobile, which is attempting to make a record between Chicago and New York, reached here this evening, being four hours ahead of the schedule.

QUEER MURDER ATTEMPT OF JEALOUS LOVER.

BINDS GIRL TO HER BED AND TURNS ON THE GAS.

Young Domestic Seized While Sweeping Porch, Thrust Into Her Room and Door Locked — Frightened Victim's Screams Bring Rescuers Just in Time.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 28.—As Miss Abbie Hassell, a young domestic servant, was engaged in sweeping the front doorsteps of a house at No. 1239 Waller street today, a man rushed up suddenly from behind, grabbed the woman by the arms, dragged her forcibly into her sleeping room, pinioned her arms behind her back, tied her to the bed in the room, turned on the gas without lighting it, locked the door and fled from the house.

When she found herself a helpless prisoner in the bed chamber, with sure and swift death threatening her, the poor girl was so fearfully frightened that she barely had strength enough left to scream for help.

The house where she is employed is owned by Mrs. McNab, whose movements must have been known to the perpetrator of the deed, for at the time she was away from home.

The young woman's screams were heard by a Mrs. Dallegois, a neighbor, and Police Sergeant Blank, who lives next door, and before the deadly fumes had time to do their work, these two had run to the assistance of the girl. Throwing all his weight against the door Sergt. Blank burst it in, cut the cords that bound the victim and removed her to a place of safety.

Miss Hassell, who is but 19 years of age, was completely overcome by the fumes and shock, but recovered quickly under the effect of restoratives. She was unable to talk, however, and little or nothing could be learned from any of the neighbors as to who her assailant was.

It was stated, however, that he was a former lover of the girl and that jealousy and revenge arising from a love affair were the motives which prompted the attempt of such a foul murder. He is described by a neighbor who saw him running away as being tall, dark and slender.

BEAR STRONG IN EAST.

Russia Has Two Hundred and Fifty Thousand Soldiers, and Scores of Warships—Forts Threatening China.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

TIEN TSIN, Sept. 28.—[By Asiatic Cable.] The military strength of Russia in the War East is now as follows: In Manchuria proper, 50,000 men of all arms, including eighteen batteries of artillery; on the lines of communication between Port Arthur and the Amur province, 110,000 men, and at Port Arthur and Tallen Wan, 90,000 men.

Thirty forts have been erected at Port Arthur, and fifty others are under construction. All the peaks in the district are being fortified.

In addition to the land forces there are always forty Russian vessels in Port Arthur and forty others constantly under steam at Talien Wan. Three battleships, two cruisers and four destroyers are expected to arrive in Chinese waters October 15.

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[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW HAVEN (Ct.) Sept. 28.—Clad in uniforms blue and gray, emblematic of the reunion, as comrades, of men formerly separated by factional strife, 1000 soldiers of the Spanish-American War marched in parade today to the opening of the fourth annual assembly of the National Army and Navy Spanish War Veterans. They were reviewed by veterans of the G.A.R., State and city officers and President Hadley of Yale University.

The first assemblage of the day, aside from the many formal gatherings, was that of the council of administration, which met at the New Haven House. Reports of work accomplished during the year were submitted to the council, and were referred to the convention for acceptance.

The report of Adjt.-Gen. L. C. Dyer showed the organization has made rapid progress during the past year. An increase of nearly 100 new commands, together with the increase of members in commands already established, has brought the membership up to about 140,000. Eight new State organizations have been formed, together with several provisional State organizations. As regards finances, the association was declared to be in good condition, with no debt and with a credit balance on hand. The amount expended for relief work by the various commands and corps during the year was nearly $100,000.

In the organization of new commands some trouble has been experienced by reason of the fact that there has been an effort to amalgamate the Spanish War Veterans with the Spanish-American War Veterans and like organizations. A good many have desired to hold out from joining the Spanish War Veterans until this consolidation was perfected. All hindrance to consolidation has now been removed, and it is expected by the end of October all details, including the election of officers and the adoption of rules and rituals, will have been arranged.

The report of the Commander-in-Chief, Col. Urell of Washington, D. C., who was unable to be in attendance on account of illness, was also read.

The council devoted much of its time to listening to statements regarding the amalgamation of all bodies of Spanish War veterans, and while no conclusions were reached, there will be recommendations made to the convention.

REBEL GOMEZ SENTENCED.

Inciter of Filipinos to Resistence Given Four Years in Prison—Bail Refused on Appeal.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

MANILA (P. I.) Sept. 28.—[By Pacific Cable.] Dominado Gomez was today sentenced to four years and two months imprisonment and to pay a fine of $300. Maximum bail was refused pending an appeal. The Filipino assessors dissented from the decision. Gomez, who was a former Spanish officer, was charged with founding the Union Obrera, an organization which was inciting the natives to rebellion.

OBITUARY.

Herbert J. Davis.

CHICAGO, Sept. 28.—Ex-Judge Herbert J. Davis died early today at St. Luke's hospital, where he had been since September 1. Mr. Davis was for several years a member of the law firm of Lowden, Davis & Estabrook. President McKinley tendered him the position of Civil Governor of the Philippines, but he declined, and subsequently declined a seat on the Philippine bench, which was offered him by Judge Taft. He was 45 years old.

Rev. Truman F. Allen.

MINNEAPOLIS (Minn.) Sept. 28.—Rev. Truman F. Allen of the Thirteenth Avenue Methodist Church was stricken with apoplexy yesterday just as he finished what he thought might be his last sermon to the congregation. In three hours he was dead. Rev. Mr. Allen was born in Vermont sixty-three years ago.

Henry D. Lloyd.

CHICAGO, Sept. 28.—Henry D. Lloyd, a well-known writer on economic subjects, died today at his home in Winnetka.

John Dolph.

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—John Dolph, the artist, who has sometimes been called the "Landseer of America," because of his work as an animal painter, died suddenly here today from heart disease. He was 68 years of age.

The White Star line steamer Majestic, which sails from Liverpool for New York Wednesday, will take among her passengers Chief Justice Fuller, Mrs. Fuller and A. J. Drexel.

WORLD PARLIAMENT GOES TO ST. LOUIS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The movement for arbitration and peace among the nations was materially advanced at the recent inter-parliamentary conference in Vienna. Representative Richard Bartholdi of St. Louis, who was in attendance at the conference, has returned to Washington after having succeeded in inducing the delegates to agree to meet in St. Louis next year. In speaking of the work of this conference, Bartholdi said:

"Of the total members of the union, 600 were present when Austria's Prize Minister, Dr. Von Koerber, welcomed the delegates in the House of Parliament. The first day was devoted to speechmaking, during which flattering references were made to the United States, on account of its resort to arbitration in the Alabama affair, and to President Roosevelt, for first recognising The Hague court by referring to it the dispute with Mexico over the Pious Fund in California.

"The most important resolution adopted by the conference was one calling on all governments which have signed The Hague convention to insect in all treaties to be concluded between them in future, a clause providing that all differences resulting from such treaties shall be submitted to The Hague court for peaceful arbitration. Practically all governments have signed with the sole exception of those of South America. They were not represented at The Hague because they were not invited, but the Vienna conference passed a resolution calling upon all South American governments to join The Hague convention post festum.

"Another important resolution declared in favor of the neutrality of Scandinavian countries. A number of English delegates strongly supported the motion for a reduction of standing armies. Dr. Hirsch of Germany characterized this motion as premature and utopian, but it was finally adopted with an overwhelming majority.

"In the course of discussion a Spanish delegate, Señor Marcoatu, said the credit of having originated the idea of a world parliament belonged to America."

Mr. Bartholdi continued: "The United States has been the pioneer in a great movement, and this proved my strongest argument to induce the conference to come to St. Louis next year. The visit of 500 of the leading statesmen of the world, who are wont to be royally entertained, imposes upon us many important obligations, but American hospitality will, I am sure, be equal to the task."

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condemned in this diocese, nor has its members been refused the sacrament. A committee came to my residence recently, showed me a newspaper containing an oath said to have been taken by the members of the Typographical Union and asked my opinion regarding it. I told them in substance, that the oath in its natural and obvious sense could not be lawfully taken by any Catholic. That was my whole action in the matter. My opinion regarding the wording of the obligation is unchanged."

NO TOOTS FOR CENTENNIAL.

MARINE BAND IS BOYCOTTED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, Sept. 28.—The marchers in the big Centennial parade tomorrow night will be compelled to tramp over the route without a musical note to cheer them. The Musicians' Union tonight positively refused to take part in the parade or to have anything whatever to do with the Centennial celebration, because the Marine Band of Washington is to play at the mass meeting at the Auditorium on Thursday night, which is to be the final act of the celebration.

TYPE FOUNDERS OUT.

GENERAL STRIKE PLANNED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CINCINNATI (O.) Sept. 28.—The employés in the Cincinnati branch of the American Type Foundry Company went on a strike this afternoon on orders from their organization's headquarters in Chicago. The men say it is to be a general strike at all the type foundries in the country.

Win the Right to Eat.

REDDING, Sept. 28.—The members of Harrison Union, No. 186, Western Federation of Miners, have won their strike against the management of the Midas mine at Harrison Gulch, which employs 200 men. The miners made but one demand, that they be allowed to eat where they pleased, instead of being compelled to board at the company eating-house conducted by the superintendent.

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$1.25 fancy blankets, $1.00.
$1.75 blankets, $1.50.
$3.50 blankets, $3.00.
$2.65 blankets, $2.25.
$5.50 Oregon blankets, $4.75.
$4.50 blankets, $4.00.
$4.00 blankets, $3.50.
75c cotton blankets, 65c.
90c cotton blankets, 75c.
$1.20 blankets, $1.00.
$1.40 blankets, $1.25.
$1.75 blankets, $1.50.
$1.30 comforts, $1.15.
$1.60 comforts, $1.25.
$1.85 comforts, $1.50.

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All single lace curtains, some of which are samples, and others are odd curtains that have accumulated from our regular stock, are placed in one big lot this week marked one-third discount from regular price. They come in Arabian, Nottingham, and Brussels. While none of them can be matched into pairs, yet in nearly every house there is some window where a single curtain is needed, and this is a chance to secure a nice quality at a very low price.

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PACIFIC SLOPE.

COWARDICE OF FOLSOM GANG.

Prison Board Blames the Officials and Guards.

Outbreak by Convicts Ought to Have Been Prevented.

Gov. Pardee Commends Report of Directors and Looks for Legislative Action.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SACRAMENTO, Sept. 28.—Gov. Pardee today made public the reports sent to him by the State prison directors on the Folsom outbreak. The report was very voluminous, and its salient features are touched upon in the reply from the Governor, which follows:

SACRAMENTO, Sept. 28, 1903.—The Honorable, the Board of Prison Directors of the State of California—Gentlemen: I have before me your report on the disastrous and lamentable outbreak and escape of prisoners from the penitentiary at Folsom. It would appear from the evidence taken before your board some time since (a report of which has been placed before me by Private Secretary A. B. Nye, who was present at the meeting of your body,) that the whole prison force, with two or three exceptions, connected with the outbreak displayed a total want of capacity and efficiency at the very moment when called upon to show capacity and efficiency.

I note with pleasure your praise of Turnkey Cochrane, who was so nearly killed in the melee; with as great a degree of sadness, I note your account of the murder of Guard W. L. Cotter. Both are worthy of all praise.

I also note the following sentence in your report: "Your board is convinced that had the officers and guards who were attacked showed the same daring and nerve as the convicts who attacked them, the convicts could never have left the prison grounds alive."

I also note the following in your report: "Yet the board is unanimously of the opinion that the officers and guards should have stopped this outbreak at all hazards."

I also call attention to the following: "We also feel that there was a time when the lieutenant of the guard could have stopped the outbreak and prevented the prisoners from escaping, and he should under no circumstances have surrendered the armory to the convicts."

The following is also worthy of note: "We are convinced is the board that it is the duty of all officers and guards to prevent the escape of convicts at every hazard, that an order has been issued making it the imperative duty of all officers and guards to prevent convicts from escaping, whether they have free men in their charge or not, and when any such attempt is made, the guards must fire."

I agree heartily, fully and unreservedly with these four quotations. And in this connection, I most sincerely agree with the following clause of your report: "And we are impressed with the necessity of a thorough reorganization at Folsom prison." And I am very glad that "that this is now engaging our (your) earnest and continued attention, and we (you) will accomplish it at the earliest possible moment." I have every faith in your sincerity in making this statement, and hope that circumstances will not compel you to put off its accomplishment very long.

I am not disposed to agree with those who harshly criticise the warden and those who, with him, were prisoners in the hands of the convicts, for, under pain of instant death at the hands of their desperate captors, ordering the guards not to fire upon the escapes. Even the lives of prison officials are sweet and dear to them. But, in my opinion, too much censure cannot be visited upon those guards and officials who obeyed the order not to resist the escaping prisoners. Orders given by officials in the hands of convicts are not the orders of the officials, but are the orders of the convicts themselves. And any free prison official or guard who, under these or any other circumstances, obeys the orders of convicts, is guilty of the grossest breach of discipline and deserving of the severest censure. And, I repeat, from the evidence taken before your board, it appears to me that the whole prison force, with few exceptions, at the point of the outbreak became thoroughly demoralized and for the time being absolutely inefficient. And in my judgment, it is not necessary to consider whether or not they, or any of them, were guilty of cowardice.

In your report you have mentioned one or two cases of especially noteworthy abject neglect of duty by prison officials at the commands of the escaping convicts. One of the most aggravated, and aggravating, example of this appears to me to be the case of the guard who, mounted on horseback and armed with a gun, rode up, at the command of the convicts, and surrendered himself and his weapon into their hands.

I note also your recommendation that certain convicts be granted executive clemency as a reward for services rendered to the officials at the time of the outbreak. You mention particularly Joseph Casey, a life-termer; John Martinez, serving a twenty-year sentence since 1895; Charles Abbott, second-termer, serving a life sentence; O. C. Clark, a ninth-termer, serving a twenty-year sentence, and William Grider, a third-termer, serving a five-year sentence. I shall certainly take heed of your recommendation in these cases; and I agree with you that convicts who aid the prison authorities to preserve order and prison discipline should receive some reward for their services.

I also note your disapproval of that unjust bias which makes the public so ready to take the part of desperate men, confined in prison for infractions of the law, against the prison officials when the latter are compelled to take decisive steps to control their charges and preserve discipline. Those who know how desperate and abandoned many of the convicts confined in our prisons are, agree with you thoroughly in your condemnation of that public sentiment which, knowing nothing of the true prison conditions, refuse to believe that harsh measures are frequently necessary to discipline those men, who will stop at no brutality, even murder, to wreak their vengeance upon those who betray their plots and conspiracies, or to effect their escape from the charge of those whom the law has put over them. With you, I am convinced that those who come closest in contact with the convicts in our prisons know best how to manage them. It is always safest, I think, in human affairs to look for the best results in any particular matter at the hands of those who are expert in it.

I note, also, what you say about the necessity of so improving the two prisons as to permit the substitution for the present "congregate system" the more modern, humane and safer method whereby each prisoner shall be separately confined. Your board has recommended this change in system, I am informed, a number of times. It is, of course, a matter for legislative action. But I agree with you as to its necessity, and shall hope with you that the Legislature at its next session may make sufficient appropriations, both for this and such other improvements as may appear to be necessary.

I congratulate you upon this statement in your report: "For years your board has endeavored to eliminate from the management of the State prisons any political influence or interference, and that is its present aim. We are pleased to say that we have succeeded in this to a very great extent, and wish to acknowledge our appreciation of your expressed desire to aid us in this particular."

In conclusion, gentlemen of the board, let me say that it devolves upon you to conduct the affairs of the prisons. I have every confidence in your desire to so conduct them that no just criticism can flow to you, and that, so far as possible, they may be made what they were intended to be, viz., places of detention and punishment for those who break the law and reformatories for such prisoners as may be capable of reform. And of your integrity and capability well and properly to manage the institutions committed to your care, I have no doubt.

[Signed] GEORGE C. PARDEE,
Governor of California.

The report of the prison directors, while acknowledging that Warden Wilkinson and the captured guards "would have been severely injured, if not murdered," had resistance to the escaped convicts been offered, yet says that the "outbreak should have been stopped at all hazards," adding that it is the duty of men who assume positions of trust in State prisons to fearlessly endanger their lives in the discharge of their duties. The officials of Folsom prison are not directly charged with cowardice, however, "the surprise of the proceedings" being taken into consideration.

But on top of this, the board has issued orders that hereafter all attempted breaks must be stopped, whether the prisoners have free men in charge or not.

The habit of Warden Wilkinson and the subordinate officers in meeting each morning in the captain's office is denounced as "most unwise and imprudent."

The "congregate system" of keeping prisoners is scored, as is also the "sickly sentimentality" of that portion of the public which shudders at strong methods to keep convicts in subjection, and thus encourages prisoners to be rebellious. The need of reformation at Folsom is acknowledged, and Lieutenant of the Guard Kripp is especially condemned for not doing his duty.

WHO SHOT THURMAN?

QUESTION IN LIBEL SUIT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

MADERA, Sept. 28.—The taking of testimony in the libel case of Dick Roberts against the Fresno Democrat began today. Interest centers in the forthcoming testimony of ex-Sheriff Thurman, as to who shot him. Heretofore he has refrained from discussing the mysterious shooting affray in his own house. Plaintiff's counsel in opening today, announced that Thurman would testify that Roberts was not the burglar who fired the shots.

Mark R. Plaisted, manager of the defendant company, identified the objectionable articles, and testified as to the paper's circulation. The plaintiff teestified as to his doings on the night of the shooting in the Thurman houses He was in bed a little after 3 o'clock, he said. The hat which was found in the Thurman house was shown to Roberts, and he said he thought it was his. He told of a conversation with one Hedges the morning after the shooting. His testimony was at variance with statements he swore to immediately after the shooting, and the deposition was handed to the court. Roberts will probably occupy the witness stand all day tomorrow.

CHINESE NABOBS ARRAIGNED.

OBSTRUCTING JUSTICE CHARGED

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 28.—Resplendent in gorgeous robes of gold and green, the presidents of the Chinese Six Companies and their secretary appeared in the Police Court today to answer an alleged contempt of court in the issuance of a circular bearing upon the case of Woo Shik, charged with robbery, and nearly the whole of the upper set of the Chinese quarter of the city was present to give them moral support.

The alleged contempt is based upon the utterance of a circular, and it is the contention of legal representatives of the Chinamen charged with robbery that the Six Companies had placarded the dead walls of Chinatown threatening any man, Chinese or white, who raised hand or voice in defense of the accused Chinese. The accused presidents and their secretary, however, insist that the circular issued was not a threat and that its purpose was to deter Chinese of the highbinder class from furnishing perjured testimony.

In summing up the evidence, the magistrate held that no testimony had been offered to show that any witness had been threatened or intimidated, and he believed it would first be necessary to do this in order to establish the guilt of the accused men. Decision of the case was deferred.

HOPE FOR GIFFORD.

TO EMPTY WRECKED BARK.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 28.—The underwriters who have a fortune at stake by reason of the beaching of the big four-masted British bark Gifford south of the Golden Gate are still confident the vessel can be saved. Lloyd's surveyor, Capt. John Metcalfe, with the master of the wrecked bark, Capt. David Michie, and Capt. Alexander Woodside, have been on the wreck, and have made a careful examination of the vessel. Weather permitting, they believe the coal in the Gifford's hull may be thrown overboard and the leaking vessel pulled out of the sand and towed to port.

ERWIN CASE SUBMITTED.

ATTEMPT TO SHOW MONOPOLY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 28.—At the continuation of the examination of James W. Erwin, the indicted postal inspector, before Commissioner Heacock today, he was again put on the stand by United States Dist.-Atty. Woodworth in an attempt to show that the Postal Device and Indicator Company had a monopoly. He said that the field of sale for the device was small, though the New Zealand officials had asked for estimates for a supply. Several other witnesses testified regarding the value of the patent controlled by the company.

Arguments were then begun, Erwin's attorney claiming that he was not charged with committing an offense as an officer of the government, Machen being the only one thus charged. The attorney argued that Erwin and Beavers had been removed from office by an indictment under which they could not be tried.

When the fact that Erwin did not handle the stock of the Postal Device and Indicator Company was brought up by his attorney, Commissioner Heacock said that, according to the evidence, it was Superintendent Richardson who gave the stock to government officials to secure their services.

At the conclusion of the argument Commissioner Heacock took the case under advisement.

GREAT FORGER FREED.

BECKER'S SENTENCE SERVED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN QUENTIN PRISON, Sept. 28.—Charles Becker, considered the cleverest forger in America, is once more at liberty. Becker left San Quentin this morning at an early hour, after serving seven years for raising a $12 draft to $22,000 on the Crocker-Woolworth Bank of San Francisco. Contrary to custom Becker was liberated sooner than other convicts, so that he could avoid so much public notoriety. Becker would only state that he was going to San Francisco. As to his future vocation he would not commit himself.

ELEVEN CONVICTS LIBERATED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN RAFAEL, Sept. 28.—Eleven convicts were liberated from San Quentin prison this morning between 8 and 10 o'clock. Those known to be familiar in criminal circles were not allowed to go on the same train with others less familiar with wrongdoing. The latter include several very young men, short-termers in on first offenses. The prison records show that even with the number of convicts liberated each week, the population at San Quentin is increasing.

ELOPERS MUST WAIT.

PARENTAL CONSENT NECESSARY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN JOSE, Sept. 28.—This forenoon County Clerk Pfister refused to issue a license to Walter E. Linebarger, to marry Minnie Smith, both of Los Angeles, until the consent of the parents of both parties has been obtained. It is believed the consent will be forthcoming. Meantime Linebarger will remain in jail and Miss Smith will be kept at the Red Cross Sanitarium. The parties eloped two weeks ago, and were located here yesterday.

CONSENT GOES FORWARD.

OFFICIALISM SATISFIED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

FULLERTON, Sept. 28.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A telegram from San José this morning stated that the County Clerk there refused to issue a marriage license to Linebarger and Miss Smith, even on telegraphic consent of the parents, requiring that the parents go before a notary public and have the matter drawn up in regular legal form. This was done today, and the documents that will turn the young lovers from prisoners into bride and groom went north on the train last night.

"BOSS" CHINESE FOILED.

SCORE OF COOLIES CAUGHT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 28.—An attempt on the part of the "Boss" Chinamen on the ship Santa Clara to smuggle ashore twenty-one coolie fishermen from the north has been frustrated. When the ship came here from Bristol Bay with canned salmon, the inspectors were informed that there were on board 135 Chinese, all with certificates. When the officers went aboard they found a Chinese hiding in one of the boats on the davits. This aroused suspicion and a careful search was made, disclosing 156 instead of 135 Chinese. Twenty-one Chinese without certificates were hauled out by the searchers. They all will be deported.

DEAF MAN ON TRACK.

IS THROWN FORTY FEET.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

UKIAH, Sept. 28.—A north-bound train on the California Northwestern Railroad ran into a wood wagon driven by John Lukas of Calpella this afternoon. The accident occurred at what is known as the double crossing, about four miles from here, where the track runs through a heavy cut just before emerging into the road. The engine struck the horses and killed one instantly, badly crippling the other. The wagon was a total wreck and Lukas was thrown about forty feet, and it is feared is fatally injured. Engineer Hyde saw the wagon on the track, but could not stop in time to avoid a collision. The injured man is partially deaf and is over 70 years of age. Lukas was placed on board the train and brought back to this city for medical attendance.

WOMAN BESTS DEER.

DESPERATE FIGHT FOR LIFE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

UKIAH, Sept. 28.—Mrs. Tomlinson of Philo, was severely injured Saturday in a hand-to-hand combat with a wounded deer. She started on a hunt, accompanied by her dog. The dog jumped a fine four-pointer and Mrs. Tomlinson immediately dropped him. Rushing up to the fallen deer she started to cut his throat in true hunter style. The deer, however, was only wounded and at the first touch of the knife was upon his feet.

Then a battle for life commenced, the deer using his sharp forefeet and horns as weapons. The dog tried to aid, but was killed by a blow from the deer. For several minutes the fight continued, Mrs. Tomlinson, who is muscular, never letting go of her hold on his antlers. The animal finally weakened from loss of blood from his wounds and sank to the ground.

Mrs. Tomlinson, although weak and suffering from several cuts inflicted by the horns and hoofs of the deer, managed to make her way home and her husband returned for the deer. Mrs. Tomlinson has had the head mounted and will keep it as a trophy.

MEAT-PACKING PLANT.

FOR SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

FRESNO, Sept. 28.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A meat-packing plant, the purpose of which is to supply the whole San Joaquin Valley from Bakersfield to Stockton, was incorporated today. Those interested are well-known meat and cattle men. The capital stock is $200,000, with 2000 shares. The subscribers are D. C. Sample, 50 shares; T. M. Hayden, 10; S. Evinger, 500; F. J. Burleigh, 10; C. M. Burleigh, 10; F. D. Vanderlip, 20; G. J. Nees, 10; T. B. Matthews, 25; and J. C. Vaughn, 25.

The company has acquired the Evinger plant, which will be enlarged at once. At first the company intends to deal extensively in pork, and later, a large cold-storage plant will be added and fresh meat supplied to all valley points. Plants will also be erected for the utilization of by-products, such as glue and fertilizers. Heretofore, the ranges of the Miller & Lux and James estates have largely supplied the San Francisco market and from San Francisco shipped back to the valley, but now the new company proposes to handle much of this business.

NEW FREIGHT STEAMERS.

FOUR TO BE CONSTRUCTED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TACOMA, Sept. 28.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Manager Lawless of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company announces that the construction of the four modern freight steamers which his company has contemplated building for the past year, will be completed in the near future. In his opinion, the addition of these vessels to the company's fleet has become absolutely necessary. Manager Lawless says plans have been prepared in detail and forwarded to headquarters with his request that the vessels be built as quickly as possible. He declares that the day has come when the public must have the lowest possible freight rates.

The steamers will have a carrying capacity of 1500 to 2000 tons each, with limited passenger accommodations, probably enough for thirty people. They will be suitable for any run from Guaymas to Nome and equipped with modern freight-handling appliances. They will have a speed of 10½ knots per hour and large deck space for handling heavy machinery. The steamers will be of wood, 200 feet long, 39 feet beam and costing $75,000 each. Pacific Coast shipbuilders will be asked for bids.

MAYOR SNYDER AFTER GOLD.

VISITING MINES IN MEXICO.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

TUCSON (Ariz.) Sept. 28.—Mayor Snyder of Los Angeles and party were here yesterday en route to their gold mines, which are located in Sonora, Mex. They will return Wednesday. There has been an unusual number of gold hunters going into Sonora from the East during the last ten days.

SLOPE BRIEFS.

Investigating Chinese Suicide.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 28.—Chow Tzu Chi, first secretary of the Chinese Legation in Washington, has arrived here to thoroughly investigate the charge made by the police against Tom Kim Yung, the secretary of the local consulate, who committed suicide after being arrested for misdemeanor. The family of the secretary is said to be greatly incensed at the treatment accorded him by the police officers who placed him under arrest. Secretary Chow says that the Minister in Washington will demand that a searching inquiry be made both by the Chinese and white authorities in this city.

To Divide Greek Diocese.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 28.—The diocese of the Greek Orthodox Church in North America is to be divided into two. The United States, Mexico and the territory south of the isthmus is to continue under the jurisdiction of Bishop Tikhon. The Northern section, Canada, British Columbia and Alaska, is to be assigned to the Rev. Innocence Putinsky of Moscow, who will be created a bishop by the Holy Synod of the Greek Church.

Scientists Studying Anthrax.

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, Sept. 28.—Anthrax, the dread cattle disease, which is reported to be on the increase throughout the State at this period, will be made the subject of careful study by the expert veterinarians of the animal industries department of the University of California. For a few weeks the department will receive cases of anthrax for investigation. It is suggested that an ear from an afflicted animal be cut off close to the head and sent in a fruit jar. By this one sample a thorough diagnosis of the disease can be made and a report returned to the sender.

Drink Youtsey's Ruin.

SAN JOSE, Sept. 28.—Charles H. Youtsey, son of the pioneer Sheriff of this county, was today sentenced to two years in San Quentin for grand larceny, consisting of the theft of a horse and buggy. Youtsey is a paralytic and a confirmed drunkard. The rig was taken to obtain money for drink.

Fresno Meat Combine.

FRESNO, Sept. 28.—The Fresno Meat Company filed articles of incorporation this morning with an authorized capital stock of $200,000. The incorporators are D. C. Sample, T. M. Hayden, Sam Evinger, F. J. Burleigh, F. D. Vanderlip and G. J. Nees, all of Fresno and T. B. Mathews of Selma. The capital subscribed is $66,000, of which $50,000 is by Evinger, a wholesale butcher of this city. The corporation will attempt to secure control of the meat business in Central California.

Sleep Walker Takes Tumble.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 28.—As a result of a fall from a second-story window while sleep-walking in his quarters at the Presidio, Private John H. Ehlert, Twenty-seventh Company, Coast Artillery, now lies at the army general hospital, and is not expected to live.

Pair of Thieves Sent up.

STOCKTON, Sept. 28.—J. B. Conner, convicted of burglary, and Westley Keeling, convicted of robbery, were sentenced this mornig by Judge Nutter to four and five years, respectively, in San Quentin. Conner robbed a man in a hotel of clothing. Keeling took money from the pockets of an intoxicated individual, while the latter was asleep.

Sacramento Socialists Nominate.

SACRAMENTO, Sept. 28.—The Socialist party of Sacramento has nominated the following ticket: Mayor, W. J. McDowell; City Collector, A. W. Youngman; Auditor and Assessor, S. Edgar Alderman; Treasurer, Gilbert B. Creighton; City Attorney, C. S. Tappan. Nominations for City Trustees and school directors were also made.

Madera "Mercury" Burned Out.

MADERA, Sept. 28.—The Daily Mercury office was entirely destroyed by fire at 2 o'clock this morning. It was partly insured.

Held on Charge of Libel.

NAPA, Sept. 28.—E. B. Johnson, publisher of the Hotel and Wine Gazette of Stockton, was today held to answer to the charge of criminal libel. The complainant is Andrew J. Harrington of this place.

Rev. Walkley Comes West.

OAKLAND, Sept. 28.—The Rev. Charles Thomas Walkley of New York has accepted a call to the rectorship of St. Paul's Episcopal Church. Dr. Walkley has been assistant rector of Grace Church of New York for three years.

Feeble Veteran Cooked Alive.

SANTA ROSA, Sept. 28.—A Coroner's jury today found that John S. Horst, who was found dead yesterday at the city sewer farm, came to his death by falling on a stove while he was cooking. Horst, who was a veteran of the Civil War, and very feeble, fell on the stove and no assistance being near was burned almost beyond recognition. He was employed at the sewer farm.

Remarkable Border Storm.

TUCSON (Ariz.) Sept. 28.—Advices from Southern Pima county and the northern Alta district of Sonora say a steady rain has been falling there continuously for eighteen hours, the most general continuous downpour known in that region for thirty years. Stock and mining men are rejoicing, as that is a rich grazing and mining region.

Didn't Know 'Twas Loaded.

TUCSON (Ariz.) Sept. 28.—Ernest Phelps of Carthage, Mo., a health-seeker aged 20 years, accidentally shot himself with a rifle today. The ball entered above the navel, inflicting what the surgeons say will prove a fatal wound. Phelps did not know the rifle was loaded, and was leaning over the barrel, when it was discharged. He is of a prominent family in Carthage.

Woodland Irrigation Opposed.

WOODLAND, Sept. 28.—The Yolo County Consolidated Water Company is meeting with some opposition to the construction of its system of irrigation ditches near Woodland. After unsuccessful negotiation with Mrs. W. W. Brownell, O. A. Lowe and Russell J. Lowe, Jr., the company has instituted suits in the Superior Court to condemn rights of way through their respective lands a few miles west of this city.

Couldn't Stand Prosperity.

FRESNO, Sept. 28.—C. A. Wilson, late agent for the Santa Fé at Sultana, is missing, with about $50 of the company's money. Wilson had been at work for the company about a week. He left without even closing the door of the station.

DYNAMITERS' THREATS.

Police Chief Travis of Helena, Mont., Ordered to Release Prisoners or City Hall Will be Blown up.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

HELENA (Mont.) Sept. 28.—In addition to the threats which have been made against the Northern Pacific Railroad by a gang of dynamiters who demand $50,000 cash, Chief of Police Travis has received notification from what is believed to be the same gang, that unless the two men arrested in connection with the first dynamite outrage at Livingston are released, the City Hall will also be blown up.

Searching parties have been sent out to try to locate the gang and the ton of dynamite stolen from a warehouse in this city a week ago. The last ultimatum to the railroad expires October 4 and the one to Chief Travis ends today. The railroad tracks are being carefully guarded against further outrages.

VERY POWERFUL ARGUMENT.

Head of Alaskan Boundary Commission Thanks and Commends D. T. Watson of American Counsel.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LONDON, Sept. 28.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The opening of the third week of the sessions of th Alaskan Boundary Commission found D. T. Watson of American counsel continuing his presentation of his case. He concluded at 12:32 o'clock a.m., after speaking since Wednesday afternoon. Lord Chief Justice Alverstone expressed the appreciation of the commissioners, saying: "Thank you for your very powerful argument."

Then at a nod from the Lord Chief Justice, Christopher Robinson, K. C., rose and commenced his speech in behalf of the Canadian claims.

Mr. Watson left the hall looking greatly fatigued after his prolonged efforts.

GREAT VARNISH FIRE.

CHICAGO, Sept. 28.—The factory of the Standard Varnish Company on Twenty-sixth street and Armour avenue was damaged to the extent of $350,000 by fire today. Members of two fire companies narrowly escaped death or injury by the falling of the floors and several firemen were painfully hurt.

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Congressman George H. White of Tarboro, N. C., writes the following letter to Dr. Hartman:

"I am more than satisfied with Peruna, and find it to be an excellent remedy for the grip and catarrh. I have used it in my family and can all join me in recommending it as an excellent remedy."

Very respectfully,
George H. White.

Once used in the family Peruna always stays. It is an internal, hygienic, systemic remedy for colds and all catarrhal diseases.

The following testimonials from thankful men and women tell in direct, sincere language what their success has been in the use of Peruna in their families.

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"Then my two children had bad coughs, accompanied by gagging. My wife had stomach trouble for years. She took Peruna and now she is well.

"I cannot express my thanks in words, but I recommend your remedy at every opportunity, for I can conscientiously say that there is no medicine like Peruna. Nearly everyone in the town knew about the sickness of myself and family and they have seen with astonishment what Peruna has done for us. Many followed our example, and the result was health. Thanking you heartily, I am, L. J. Scherrinsky."

Peruna protects the family against coughs, colds, catarrh, bronchitis, catarrh of the stomach, liver and kidneys. It is just as sure to cure a case of catarrh of the bowels as it is a case of catarrh of the head.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case, and he will be pleased to give you valuable advice gratis.

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WAR CLOUDS LIFTING FOR BULGARIANS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SOFIA (Bulgaria) Sept. 28.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The situation here is much brighter today, and the war clouds appear to have lifted. The Porte's assurance that the thirty-two battalions recently ordered to proceed from Monastir to Adrianople will not be moved, has lessened the apprehensions of the Bulgarian government. Further satisfaction is derived from the fact that M. Natchovitch is going to Constantinople in the capacity of Bulgarian diplomatic agent. He conducted the negotiations with the Porte last June, and after their failure returned to Sofia.

The committee appointed for the purpose at the time of yesterday's demonstration of 15,000 Macedonians in this city waited on Premier Petroff today, and asked him if the government intended to do anything to help the Macedonians. M. Petroff replied that the ministry was acting in what it conceived to be the best interests of Bulgaria, and would continue the same policy.

The spokesman of the committee told the Premier that his reply would not be satisfactory to the people, and the committee thereupon withdrew.

The Dnevnik, commenting on the situation, says: "Although the Bulgarians remain quiet, it is not a true indication of the national feelings, but it is owing to the approaching elections." The paper adds that it will not be long before everybody will try to force the government to take action."

FIFTY THOUSAND REFUGEES.

SLAUGHTER OF VILLAGERS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

MONASTIR (Macedonia) Thursday, Sept. 24.—[By Atlantic Cable. Via Bulgaria, Sept. 28.] It is estimated that 50,000 villagers of the vilayet of Monastir are now refugees in the mountains and mostly in a terribly destitute condition. They escaped from the 111 villages which have been wholly or partially burned by the Turks, which contained 10,302 houses, of which 9688 were burned.

At Malkatirnovo, only a hundred Bulgarian families remain out of 1500. A body of 200 families, fleeing toward Bulgaria from villages in the Losengrad districts, was surrounded by Turkish troops in the mountains, and all of them are alleged to have been slaughtered.

URGING LEADERS TO QUIT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BERLIN, Sept. 28.—According to a dispatch to the Loksl Anzeiger, prominent Macedonians are urging the revolutionary leaders to discontinue the uprising.

SHOOT THE BULGARIANS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Sept. 28.—The Times learns from a trustworthy source that the Palace Committee at Yildiz Kiosk has recommended that all Bulgarians captured in the future shall be shot. It is stated that the Sultan holds the same view, and that the necessary orders have been issued.

BAKHZAR PASHA DECORATED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SALONICA (European Turkey) Sept. 28.—Bakhzar Pasha, who is responsible for the massacres at Krushevo and Smilevo, has been decorated with the Order of the Medjidie of the first class. He has been sent to the District of Castoria, where six villages have already been burned and many insurgents killed.

ARIZONA'S FINE RAIN.

HIGH RECORD AT PHOENIX.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Sept. 28.—Another heavy rain occurred here this morning at 3 to 9 o'clock, during which time 1.31 inches of rain fell. This, with 1.46 inches the day before, makes 2.77 inches, the heaviest rainfall ever recorded by the Weather Bureau in this section for forty-eight hours. The storm was all beneficial and not destructive, as no injury is reported to railroads or wires. Rain for two days has been general all over Arizona, heavy precipitation being reported from northern points.

CONDITIONS AT BEIRUT.

ADMIRAL COTTON KEEPS GUARD

[By the Associated Press—P.M.]

BEIRUT (Syria) Tuesday, Sept. 8.—[A. P. Correspondence. Wired from New York, Sept. 28.] As this dispatch is mailed, the situation at Beirut remains unchanged, there being a great feeling of uncertainty.

The correspondent of the Associated Press called on board the United States cruisers Brooklyn and San Francisco yesterday and found them armed camps. The bluejackets and marines were in readiness to land at a moment's notice, ammunition filled their belts and arms were stacked on deck. Rear-Admiral Cotton informed the correspondent that he was prepared to give Americans and Europeans in general the fullest protection possible. Guards to watch the American property here were furnished last night. Had the Governor refused, Admiral Cotton stood prepared to land 500 men if necessary. The American ships played the searchlights on the city, illuminating not alone the property of the Syrian Protestant College, but also dark alleys and byways frequented as a rule by many shady characters.

Sunday morning a church was attacked while service was in progress, but no one was killed. Panic-stricken, the Christians fled from the city or remained in their homes behind barricaded doors, while Moslems, armed with clubs, revolvers and knives, paraded the streets and fell on any chance victim that came their way.

Monday found the situation no better. All day stores remained closed, the streets were deserted and business came to a complete standstill. People remained at home, afraid to venture out, and one or two who did so were killed for their temerity.

The foreign residents had not at first felt any great personal danger, but the attempt to assassinate the American Vice-Consul, Mr. Magelssen, followed by an attempt, Saturday last, of an armed Moslem, with two accomplices, to force an entrance into the home of an American resident, were incidents not calculated to give anyone too great a sense of security, and the arrival of the American cruisers in the midst of these troubles brought great relief, especially to the foreign residents of the city.

Those who are interested in the welfare of Syria are indeed hoping that some political reforms may be introduced at Beirut, and that they will bring new hope and larger life to its people. When, after the massacres of 1860, the Lebanon district was made a province with an autonomous government and a Christian Governor, whose appointment had to be ratified by the powers, Beirut was included within that province. Thus Beirut, a Christian city, is ruled by the Turks.

POLITICAL WARFARE.

Chairman of Ohio Democratic State Committee Wants a Joint Debate to Discuss Record of Senator Hanna.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CLEVELAND (O.) Sept. 28.—Charles P. Salen, chairman of the Ohio State Democratic Committee, has made the following reply to Chairman Dick's letter of last night, sent from Columbus:

"The paramount issue of the Senatorial contest in this campaign is the public record of Senator M. A. Hanna and his unfitness by reason thereof to be returned to the United States Senate. If you are not aware that John H. Clarke has attacked his public record and joined issue with the present Senator upon his record, first in fathering the Ship Subsidy Bill, which seeks to take from the people's treasury $10,000,000 annually and put it into the treasury of the steamship companies; second, in forcing through the Legislature the reactionary and expensive municipal code, which denies home rule to the cities of the State, and third, in using his official position to secure for himself and associates franchise privileges to the injury of the people, you can get this information by inquiring of Senator Hanna himself.

"M. A. Hanna understands that the above issues as to the merits of these measures which he has championed are closely joined, perhaps too closely joined, for joint discussion. I trust, after advising with him you will become informed as to the situation and accept our challenge.

"Again, on behalf of John H. Clarke, I ask you to arrange for a joint discussion between him and Senator Hanna on the present issues of the campaign."

WOODRUFF SLATE SMASHED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—After one of the most riotous scenes ever enacted in a political meeting in Brooklyn, the Republican county slate made by former Lieut.-Gov. Woodruff was smashed tonight and Henry Belden Ketchum was nominated for District Attorney of Kings county in place of George F. Elliott, who was Woodruff's candidate. Woodruff was drawn into personal encounters and was roughly handled.

The noise of the riot drew the police to the hall, and they charged down the center aisle, clubbing right and left, forcing the delegates into their seats and separating those who were fighting. Several men were badly bruised.

COW WRECKS TRAIN.

Engine and Cars Sent Over Embankment Near Chattanooga and Several Lives Are Lost.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHATTANOOGA (Tenn.) Sept. 28.—Cincinnati Southern passenger train No. 2, which left Chattanooga at 2 a.m. today, ran into a cow at Glen Mary, Tenn., 120 miles north of Chattanooga, and the engine, two mail cars, baggage and express car left the track and rolled down a steep embankment.

Engineer Frank Parker was instantly killed and seven men badly injured, two fatally.

The injured are:

J. A. NEWTON, mail clerk, fatally.

J. E. EDDINGTON, mail clerk, fatally.

C. P. SHERMAN, mail clerk, may recover.

H. G. DYKES, mail clerk, back sprained and internal injuries.

W. H. ROAKES, express messenger, slight.

——— STOUT, baggage man, slight.

B. E. MARTIN, baggage man, foot smashed, internal injuries.

"BROWN" ARMY'S SHAM VICTORY.

CAMP YOUNG (West Point, Ky.) Sept. 28.—The first real work of the troops assembled here for the army maneuvers began today. It centered on the solution of the various problems which confront the advance and rear guards of an army in the neighborhood of an enemy in time of war. The conditions were made to simulate those of actual warfare as nearly as possible. After a day spent in maneuvering among the hills, the first of the mimic battles ended with an apparent advantage in favor of the "Brown" army. The conditions prevailing were those governing the proper employment of advance and rear guard by the armies.

FAMOUS SAMOAN CHIEF GONE.

APIA (Samoa) Aug. 29.—[Correspondence of the Associated Press. Wired from San Francisco, Sept. 28.—The late Chief of Apia, Seumanutafa died August 24. He held the office for thirty years. One of the notable events of his life was his conduct toward the American naval forces here during the disastrous hurricane of 1889, when a number of warships were wrecked. In recognition of his assistance in saving lives he was thanked by the President of the United States and presented with $250 gold coin, a gold watch and chain, a telescope and a thermometer. His funeral was attended by the Governor and foreign Consuls.

SPRECKELS FAMILY FIGHT.

HONOLULU, Sept. 28.—The attorneys for Claus Spreckels today asserted that the marriage of Mrs. Thomas Watson (daughter of Mr. Spreckels) to Watson is void. Mrs. Watson, now of England, is suing her father for the recovery of a block of Honolulu property valued at $400,000, which she conveyed to him soon after her marriage in 1894. The marriage led to an estrangement between daughter and parents, and Mrs. Watson returned the property which had previously been presented to her by her father. The present suit is based on the fact that Mrs. Watson's deed of conveyance did not bear her husband's signature. Spreckel's attorneys allege that Watson had been previously married in 1869, and that the divorce which he secured in Utah in 1876 was illegal, and that consequently his second marriage is void.

"JACK THE RIPPER" CRIME.

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—With the discovery of the body of a boy, 14 years old, on the bulkheads at Catherine street and East River today the police are confronted with evidence of a crime that recalls the deeds of "Jack the Ripper." Marks on the boy's body show that he had been cruelly maltreated, and both the police and coroner are satisfied that he was murdered. There are evidences that a woman was connected with the crime. Scores of persons saw the body today, but no one could identify it.

NOT SLAYER OF FERGUSON.

WASHINGTON (Pa.) Sept. 28.—At an inquest today held by Coroner Sipe into the death of Contractor S. T. Ferguson, who was killed by an explosion of dynamite on the Middletown road on Friday last the two suspects under arrest, Frank Francis and Joseph Huston, were exonerated by the jury. They, however, will be held prisoners until General Manager Norton of the Ferguson Construction Company withdraws the information made on Friday charging them with complicity in the murder. The reward offered for the capture of the murderer of Mr. Ferguson has been increased to $6000.

LAREDO'S YELLOW FEVER.

LAREDO (Tex.) Sept. 28.—There have been no deaths from yellow fever here, but five new cases were reported today. Orders have been issued to the railroad company prohibiting the sale of tickets to any point north. Reports from Linares say the yellow fever situation is little improved. Twenty-two deaths have occurred during the last three days.

REPUBLICANS OF COLORADO.

DENVER, Sept. 28.—The Republican State Convention to select a member of the Supreme Court to succeed Presiding Justice John Campbell, whose term expires, may meet here tomorrow. Today two conventions of the Republicans of the city and county of Denver were held, and contesting delegations will ask for recognition by the State convention tomorrow. There is said to be a storng likelihood that neither will be seated, and that Denver will not be represented.

FLASHES FROM THE WIRES.

A severe storm swept over the north coast of Portugal yesterday. Sixteen fishermen were drowned.

The plan of the Republicans to conclude an electoral agreement with the Socialists at Madrid, Spain, has failed.

Five buildings were destroyed by an explosion at the Kennell Powder Mills, near Shamokin, Pa., yesterday. No one was injured.

The preliminary examination of Senator George E. Green on charge of conspiracy and bribery in connection with postoffice investigations was postponed at Binghampton, N. Y., yesterday until October 2.

It is announced at Santiago de Chile that owing to serious economies and the reduction of expenses in the various services, the deficiency in the budget will disappear next year. This ministerial declaration has made a good impression.

Dist.-Atty. Jerome at New York yesterday made application to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for $100,000 for his contingent fund for the ensuing year. Jerome received last year $50,000.

J. H. Tillman, former Lieutenant-Governor of South Carolina, was arraigned in the Circuit Court of Lexington county yesterday under an indictment, charging him with the murder of N. G. Gonzales, editor of the Columbia State. A jury was secured and the State proceeded with the presentation of witnesses.

Ten persons were injured, two seriously, in an accident yesterday on the Halstead-street line, Chicago. A train ran away and for two blocks, from Sixteenth street to Eighteenth street, imperiled the lives of many persons. It is said that the train was in charge of a new gripman. Two wagons were struck by the train before it came to a stop.

Dr. Fils, former president of the High Court of the Dutch West Indies and representative of Belgium as an arbitrator of the claims against Venezuela, and Count Peretti De La Rocca, French representative in the Venezuelan arbitration court, arrived at New York yesterday from Curacao. Dr. Fils said that everything was proceeding smoothly and the Venezuelan government was paying into the bank to meet demands 30 per cent. of all customs duties received at Puerto Bello and La Guayra.

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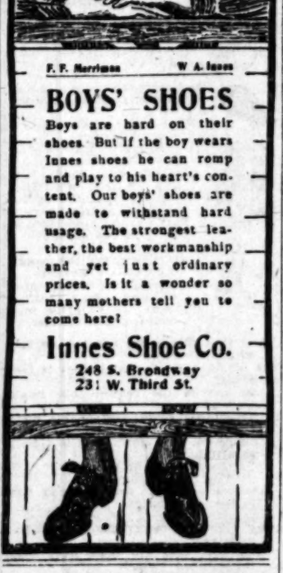

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10c Curtain Swiss 4½c.

36-inch curtain swiss in striped effect, strong and durable; sells regularly at 10c; today, per yard, 4½c.

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15c Brass Rods 6c

Extension rods for sash curtains, passementerie, extend to 44 in.; sell regularly at 15c; today, each, 6c.

High Grade Merchandise at Half Value

Full Value Notions At Half Price

5c nickel plated safety pins, fasten on either side; all sizes; today per dozen..... 3c

2½c hump hooks and eyes; all sizes, black or white; 2 dozen on a card; today per card 1c

2½c Spool Coats darning cotton; black, white and colors; per spool, today 1c

Sewing silk, black, white and all colors; today, per spool..... 2c

5c Milward's best English needles; sharps, betweens and milliners; solid and assorted sizes; today, per paper..... 3c

Good quality of white pearl buttons; 6 different sizes; worth 10c; today, per dozen... 5c

Judged from the crowds and the tremendously heavy business of yesterday it would seem that our department men had correctly guaged the preference of the public for values rather than entertainment; for the realities rather than the show. The enthusiastic appreciation of the values offered yesterday has stamped with the seal of public approval; our decision to forego our usual elaborate fall opening and to save to the public in reduced cost of merchandise what ordinarily we would spend for opening decorations, etc. The bargains advertised for today are even better than those of yesterday, and are in most cases, about one-half the actual value of the goods offered. How it is possible is a matter of no moment; the fact, for fact it is, is the main thing; and affords you an opportunity for substantial savings on many lines. Many specials on sale today which are not mentioned here.

Standard Domestics

Priced in Most Instances At About Half . . .

There will be brisk buying on these items. If interested, come early.

10c Cambric Muslin 5c—36-in. good quality cambric good finish, 10 to 20-yard lengths; limit of ten yards to one customer; today per yard, 5c.

5½c Dress Gingham 3c—One case good quality dress ginghams; splendid patterns in stripes; fast colors; today per yard, 3c.

6½c Calico 3½c—Solid color, fast black calico; regular price 6½c; today per yard, 3½c.

10c Percales 5c—Good quality double fold percales; neat patterns; blues, red and blacks; today, per yard, 5c.

Meritorious Linens Prices Greatly Reduced . . .

All linen damask towels, 20x42 in. knotted fringe with open work border; all white and with red, blue and yellow borders; excellent value at 30 cents; on sale today at.... 19c

60 in pure linen table damask; half bleached; choice assortment of patterns; goods that are good value at 50 cents per yard; on sale today, at..... 35c

$3 and $4 Corsets 59c

C. P. Corsets, straight fronts; good styles; medium length hip with low cut bust; boned with genuine whale bone; grays and blacks only; sizes up to 22; every corset worth from $3 to $4; if you require a small size corset, this is a matchless opportunity; on sale on second floor. On sale today, per pair 59c.

Surprising Values in Men's Furnishings

"SILVER" BRAND SHIRTS WORTH $1 at 50c

Sample line of "Silver" brand shirts, which always sell at $1.00; all sizes; good assortment from which to choose; today, while they last, 50c.

MEN'S 25c HOSE 10c

Short lines of men's fancy drop stitch hose; large assortment of excellent styles; regularly worth 25c; today, while they last, per pair, 10c.

MEN'S 5c HANDKERCHIEFS 1c

500 dozen plain white, with corded hems; also red and blue handkerchiefs for men; full size; excellent value at 5c. Today, on sale, each, 1c.

CHILDREN'S 10c AND 12½c HOSE 5c

Broken lines of children's school hose; fast black, medium ribbed; almost a complete range of sizes; regular 10c and 12½c values. Today, while they last, per pair, 5c.

BOYS' 25c DRAWERS 10c

Odd lines of medium weight boys' drawers; all sizes; good value at 25c. Today, while they last, per pair, 10c.

Cut Prices On Mason Jars

ON SALE IN BASEMENT TODAY ONLY

1 pint Mason jars, per dozen..... 40c

1 quart Mason jars, per dozen..... 50c

Half Gallon Mason jars, per dozen..... 70c

Ironstone China combinets or slop jars, with ball handle and cover. On sale today, at..... 89c

Sensational Selling of Men's Suits

$20 Black Clay Worsted Suits for $6.75

287 black, all wool 20-ounce English and domestic clay worsted suits, lined with Italian cloth; wool serge and farmer's satin; all sizes from 34 to 48; every suit worth from $15.00 to $20.00; choice of this lot today, at..... $6.75

Men's $1.00 heavy cotton working pants, neat stripes; good colors; today, per pair..... 50c

Magnificent Ribbon Values

Half Price and Less

Fancy ribbons, 3 to 4 in. wide, pretty stripes and plaids; regular 10c value; today, per yard 5c

Fancy hair ribbons for children; all colors; 5 and 7; regular 5½c value; today, per yard..... 2½c

Net veils, finished with colored borders; 1¼ yd. lengths; all colors; regular 49c value; today, each at..... 19c

Top collars, daintily embroidered and most desirable; regular 5c value; today, each..... 1c

49c Sateen Pillows 29c

All colors with pillow inside, regular value 49c; today, each 29c.

19c Handkerchiefs 10c

All linen hdkfs., hand embroidered, hemstitched, pure Irish linen; regular price, 19c; today, each at 10c.

5c Handkerchiefs 3c

Fine sheer lawn handkerchiefs, regular 5c value, insertion corners; on sale, each at 3c.

Women's Shoes

Interesting Price Cuts

Women's dress oxfords made of best patent kid stock; hand turned soles; stylish lasts; Cuban and military heels; $3.00 and $3.50 values. On sale today at..... $1.95

Women's dress sandals, made of patent leather vamp; one strap buttoning over the instep; plain point toes; medium heels; kid quarter; sock lining; soft and comfortable for home wear. $1.50 values. On sale today per pair..... $1.00

$1.50 and $1.75 Red Shoes 85c

Misses', children's and infants' red kid shoes made from best bright kid stock; both button and lace; hand turned soles, new; extremely stylish and desirable for the little ones. Values up to $1.75. Today, per pair 85c.

Men's Shoes

Important Saving on These Items

Sensible shoes for men, made in lace and congress; round, capped or plain toes; sole leather; extension sole counters and innersoles; good roomy lasts; easily worth $2.00; today, per pair..... $1.45

Men's shoes, made from selected vici kid; with tips; suitable either for dress or business; well made over model lasts, perfectly finished; good value at $2.50. Today, per pair..... $1.95

Men's $3.00 Shoes $1.95

Made of best box calf with hand welted ½ double oak soles; with modified coin capped toes; a good business man's shoe. Actual value, $3.00. Today, per pair $1.95.

Boys' vici kid and box calf shoes; made with one-half double extension Texas oak soles; extra outside backstay; medium round double capped toe; best drill lining, solid and durable; sizes 13 to 5½. Good $2.00 values, today, per pair..... $1.25

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Values You Have Seldom If Ever Seen Equaled.

75c Black Taffeta 40c.

19 inch black taffeta silk, bright, lustrous metallic finish; guaranteed for satisfactory wear; regular value, 75c. Today, special, per yard, 40c.

$1.00 Black Vicunas 50c.

54 inch black vicuna cheviots for separate skirts or tailored suits; beautiful black; proper weight for unlined skirts. Regular $1.00 value. On sale today, per yard, 50c.

30 pieces Scotch flannels for waists and children's dresses. A variety of desirable checks and stripes in all colors; usually priced at 50c. On sale today, per yard..... 25c

20 pieces black percaline, bestie finish, 36 in. wide; quality and color guaranteed to give utmost satisfaction. Desirable for drop skirts, as well as waist linings; regularly worth 12½. On sale today, per yard..... 7½c

Boys' $3.00 Suits Just Right for School $1.00

Boys' all wool suits in both light and dark patterns; medium weight; just right for school wear; ages 3 to 15 years; two hundred suits in the lot; every suit worth $3.00. Today, each..... $1.00

Corduroy Knee Pants 25c

Boys' knee pants of good strong corduroy; well made; sizes 4 to 15 years; excellent value at 60c. Today, per pair..... 25c

$1.50 and $2.00 Suit Cases for 98c

Two styles of suit cases, some of enameled waterproof cloth, others of slate covered canvas; good steel frames and cowhide corners; $1.50 and $2.00 values. Today, each..... 98c

Men's 75c Underwear 35c

Men's plain fleece lined shirts and drawers—the fleece is of wool all sizes, a splendid value at 75c. We have sold this quality at 50c. Today per garment 35c.

Misses' 50c Union Suits 25c.

Misses' Onsita union suits; full weight, fleece lined; these are gray; all sizes; also Misses' fine wool pants; both lines represent 50c values. Sale price today 25c.

25c Golf Caps 9c

Boys' Golf Caps made from all wool cheviots plush and corduroy—some of them are satin lined—all good 25c values, today each 9c

Men's $1.50 Hats 69c

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BUSINESS.

End-of-the-month conditions of dullness and hand-to-hand trading may be said in all fairness to be the cause of the falling off in local bank clearings yesterday. The figures were $858,-392.74, as compared with $848,936.66 for the corresponding period of last year.

All news of favorable tenor was ignored yesterday in the New York stock market, and demand for shares was practically paralyzed except for uncovered shorts. Amalgamated Copper and U. S. Steel stocks were especially severely hustled. Chicago grain and provision options closed at a loss.

ANTI-BOYCOTT MEASURE.

A bill has passed both houses of the Alabama Legislature, by a large majority in each house, designed to do away with the un-American, unfair, and altogether reprehensible practice of boycotting. The measure passed in spite of the strenuous opposition of "organized labor." The purpose of the bill is plainly indicated in its title, without circumlocution or false pretense. It is entitled "An act to prohibit boycotting, unfair lists, picketing, and other interference with lawful business or occupation, and to provide penalty therefor." The bill in plain terms declares it to be unlawful for two or more persons to conspire for the purpose of preventing any person, firm or corporation from carrying on business in the State of Alabama by boycotting, placing the names of firms on unfair lists, or any other means. For violation of the law a penalty is provided of not less than $50 nor more than $500 for each offense, with the alternative of imprisonment at hard labor for a term not exceeding sixty days.

It has been said of some of the Southern States that they are not progressive. The State of Alabama has placed itself in an advanced position, in the matter of industrial legislation, by the enactment of this measure. There is no question whatever as to the fact that the boycott is diametrically opposed to the spirit of American laws, both constitutional and statutory, if not the letter of those laws. While Alabama is not the pioneer in legislation designed to put a check upon this evil, it is probably the first State to put into so specific and concrete form a law against the boycott.

Intelligent people, everywhere, are coming more and more to a realization of the fact that some method must be devised to check this evil, along with other ills of the industrial world which are seriously hampering the progress of the country, and bringing loss and injury to all classes of citizens, but principally to men who work for wages. As matters now stand, industrialism is beset and bedeviled on all sides by strikes, boycotts, lockouts, and all sorts of foolish and costly disputes, ninety-nine hundredths of which could be avoided if common sense and ordinary discretion were exercised on both sides. The heaviest losers, as we have said, are the men who depend upon the wages they earn for subsistence. But all classes and conditions of people are losers by reason of this foolish, short-sighted and needless industrial warfare; therefore, all classes of citizens are interested in bringing about a better condition of things.

The practical working of the Alabama law will be observed with interest. If it shall prove to be practical, other States will doubtless follow, in the enactment of similar laws for the protection of citizenship rights and the conservation of the general good. It would seem to be about time for the American people to "get together" for the purpose of putting a stop to all the foolish and needless embargoes upon trade and industry which are allowed to work out their evil and hurtful results, almost unchecked, under the present regime.

The hemp exports are increasing from the Philippines, but we fail to see where it is being used on the mainland as much as it ought to be, excepting what the lynching parties consume in the prosecution of their nefarious business.

THE VICE-PRESIDENCY.

Under the above heading the Chicago Evening Post of recent date publishes an editorial advocating "a radical change in the position occupied by the Vice-President of the United States." It is pointed out in the article that the Constitution "simply provides that the Vice-President shall preside over the Senate and succeed to the Presidency in certain contingencies. There it stops. As our system has developed, the Vice-President has nothing to do with administration; he is not a force or factor in the government. The law deprives him of voice or vote (with a single exception) on the floor of the Senate; custom and practice shut him out from participation in the work of the executive department."

There is much force in the contention that under the existing system the Vice-President is not required to be "in touch with, nor in possession of any special and intimate knowledge of, the guiding ideas or purposes of the administration;" that he is liable "to be wholly unprepared for his duties as President;" and that the country at large might be, upon his accession to the Presidency, "in a state of unrest, not knowing whether the new incumbent in the executive mansion would carry on the government on the lines followed by his predecessor or make radical changes."

The position is well taken. It is evident that the Vice-President, inasmuch as he is liable at any time to be called upon to fill the office of President, should be selected, in the first place, with special reference to his fitness to discharge the duties of the Presidency, should they devolve upon him. In the next place, it would seem that his duties should be such as to keep him in touch with the administration, and to familiarize him with the executive duties which may devolve upon him at any time. The remedy suggested is to make the Vice-President a member, ex-officio, of the President's Cabinet. "He ought," says the Post, "to attend the meetings of the Cabinet with reasonable regularity, and especially when any vital matter of policy is under discussion, and his voice, advice and judgment should be just as potent, at least, as that of any member of the Cabinet. Being relieved of any detail of department work, he would have ample leisure and time to study carefully all questions of national interest, and could therefore come to the Cabinet meetings with ample knowledge and information."

During the administration of the late President McKinley, his Vice-President coöperated with, and was in close touch with the administration. But this is not always the case. The suggestion above made is well worthy of serious consideration.

CRIME AND PUNISHMENT.

A dispatch from Philadelphia states that, following closely upon the exposure of gross irregularities in the cigar department of the Eastern State Penitentiary, came the announcement that illegal coinage of minor silver pieces has been carried on by the convicts in that big institution. To the average citizen it must appear almost incredible that such a condition of affairs should be possible. Most people realize that there is much slackness in the conduct of our penal institutions, and that in many of them opium and morphine are extensively used, but that it should be possible for prisoners in a State penitentiary to carry on the manufacture of counterfeit coin almost surpasses belief, and discloses a condition that certainly reflects most unfavorably on the responsible officials. Must we believe that our prisons are nurseries of crime, instead of being places of punishment, and, as they should be, places offering opportunity for reform?

The entire question of crime and its repression is one to which far too little attention has been paid in this country. Of late there has been some local discussion in regard to the treatment of youthful criminals, or wayward children. As mentioned in The Times, the excellent suggestion has been made that such children, instead of being dumped into a large institution, where they are subjected to many temptations, should be placed in families, as is done in some eastern States. There are, of course, some cases which it would not be possible to handle in this way—cases of boys who are innately and decidedly bad. With them more drastic measures must be taken.

As for the older criminals, our system of "punishing" hobos, and tramps, and thieves, by furnishing what to many of them seem comfortable quarters, and liberal meals, is highly absurd, and must tend to encourage rather than to decrease the number of those who make a business of preying on a community. They should be made to work, and to work hard, for the plainest kind of fare. This would be beneficial in two ways. In the first place it would decrease the cost of their maintenance, and in the second place it would induce them to cross Los Angeles off their visiting list. This might be inconvenient for some other cities, but then, other cities could go and do likewise, until there was no refuge left for a man who can work and won't. The Supervisors of Los Angeles county are going to make a beginning along this line.

Also, it is time that thoughtless people should learn that the indiscriminate handing out of money or food to applicants is not real charity—is not good work, but rather encourages idleness and crime. Experienced railroad men say that one of the main causes of the tramp evil is the false sympathy shown by wealthy travelers to these worthless fellows, who beat their way up and down the line, living on the sympathy of those who ride in Pullman cars. It is suggested that it would be a good thing for the railroad companies to have notices placed in all their cars, warning passengers against giving money to tramps and beggars.

At any rate, it is certainly high time that we should begin to consider the question of crime and its punishments in a serious way.

Gov. Pardee's letter to the board of prison directors, apropos to the recent disgraceful and lamentable fiasco at Folsom, makes decidedly good reading to the people of California, and adds emphasis to their insistent demands that there be an early and thorough cleaning out of the gang of incompetents and incapables who are running things at the State prison. There are other important recommendations embraced in the Governor's communication, but the clauses that refer to the management of the prison in question are by all means of the most consequence and the ones demanding immediate and effective consideration. The emeute of Folsom was a disgrace to the people of the State, which should be wiped out by the prompt bouncing of the majority of the officials now eating at the expense of California taxpayers.

There is another slump in Wall street, or possibly it is but an elongation, so to speak, of the same old slump. One may now buy United States Steel at about the price of wildcat oil stock in California, and it has come to such a pass that indignant investors are writing salty and uncomplimentary letters to Mr. Morgan, the famous combiner, regarding some of the fine schemes out of which he and his associates made many millions of easy money. Probably Mr. Morgan would enjoy joining a scheme for the promotion of a company to guarantee the easy lying of heads that wear crowns.

Mrs. Stuyvesant Fish has been making sarcastic remarks regarding Mrs. Roosevelt's gowns, which are said to cost not more than $300 per year, Mrs. Fish stating, in so many words, that "They look it." But there is this to be noted about Mrs. Roosevelt's gowns—they envelop the form of a good wife and mother, who is the wife of the President of the United States. There is something in this combination that beats style out something like 240 roda.

The Chicago church which proposes to sandwich real sandwiches and other provender between the various features of the service will fill many a long-felt want when Weary Willie finds out that the new free-lunch place has lit up and is open for business. It is to be hoped that Willie's spiritual case will be as ably aided as is his bread basket.

Matters are in a state of quietude at Cripple Creek, Colo., but it is reasonable to presume that that condition wouldn't last forty minutes were the troops to be removed therefrom. The country has heard from Cripple Creek before now, and knows what to expect when the dominant element in that community is left to its own devices.

Congratulations to Judge Smith for giving a strong-arm man a prison sentence of twenty years. Now if a goodly bunch of porch-climbers and other marauders can be rounded up and sent north to keep that strong-arm artist company, life in Los Angeles will shortly resume being one long, sweet song.

The electrical street sprinkler may be as gaudy as it is painted, but we are willing to guarantee that it cannot hold a candle to the celestial drip that came down so softly all day Sunday, and made us all feel so chipper and gay.

Having stood off Secretary of War Alger, we ought certainly to be able to cope with a San Pedro saloon-keeper who is trying to tie up a goodly portion of San Pedro Harbor.

Chicago's Pig-stickers' Association is considering the advisability of going on strike. No doubt the porkers who furnish the sides and bellies and hams and lard and pigs' feet will be blamed glad if they do.

With a German trolley road pushing cars over the rails at a speed of 117 miles per hour, it looks as if America's boasted swiftness was something that it were well not to say any too much about.

The dentists are in session in our midst. Congratulations to their suffering patients who are given this brief respite from the buzz saws that grate so grievously upon human nerves.

There is no truth in the rumor that King Edward is on the sick list. The fact that he has the staying qualities to sit out a cricket match proves the fact to a dead moral certainty.

A Ukiah man has been bitten five times by rattlesnakes. Bait must be scarce up in that country or the serpents wouldn't be exhausting their saliva all on one subject.

Another new bank has been opened, thus increasing the prospect for a further fillip to the bank clearances of the liveliest city on the known globe.

What the Sultan of Turkey says he is going to do regarding the suppression of his blood-thirsty hordes who are ravaging Bulgaria, and what he is actually doing in that direction, are two things about as dissimilar as can be imagined in a day's guessing.

Senator Hanna is evidently from Missouri, considering the way he is asking would-be Senator Clarke that he has to be shown things.

The early rain catches the late raisin out in the wet.

Good-morning. Did your bean crop get wet?

THE PLAYHOUSES

MASON OPERAHOUSE. "Mr. Jolly of Joliet" is a musical skit, no better and no worse than many others of its kind. Nothing in it is to be taken seriously. It is a jumble of impossible nonsense, put together by Charles Newman, who, as he declares, "offers it, not with the idea of putting S. E. Gross, Ibsen and Pinero permanently out of business, but merely as an effort to drive away dull care." Regarded from this point of view—which is the only fair point of view, after this frank confession—the piece is measurably successful, provided one is not too particular as to the precise manner in which "dull care" is expatriated.

There is "something doing" all the time, while the curtain is up; and much that is done is grotesque, ludicrous, laughable, without being so silly as to excite disgust.

Edward Garvie, who is the headliner of the aggregation, is quite an "amoosin' cuss," as the ghost of Artemus Ward might have remarked if it had witnessed last night's performance at the Mason. Considering the material at hand, he makes quite a character of "Mr. Jolly." His drollery is fetching, if one may judge by the numerous "hands" and "laughs" which it elicits.

The company is large as to numbers, and is mostly feminine. The girls are costumed attractively, are graceful in the various movements required—and some of them can sing a little. Mollie Thompson's musical specialty in the first act was nicely done and won deserved recognition. The topical song, "When I go on the Stage," in the second act, was received with considerable "eclat." The Premier Quartette rendered some pleasing selections in the last act.

Among the quaint characters, that of Henda, a Swedish servant girl, and that of Aurelia Judson, by Gertrude Fort, should be mentioned. Mollie Thompson's impersonation of Patti La Pearl Jolly is also very good in its way. Other ludicrous character sketches are Silsh Green, by W. J. Keane; Peter Pimple, by Jack Marshall, Sammy Green, by Matt Healey, and The Rag Man, by Otis Shattuck.

The engagement is for three nights only, closing tomorrow night.

The sale of seats is now on for "The Chaperons," which opens Thursday evening at the Mason.

BURBANK. "Christopher, Jr.," is the second presentation of the Baker company at the Burbank, and this aggregation is making even a better impression in it than they did in "The Liars."

The plot centers around the haps and mishaps that befall one Christopher Colt, Jr., in the first act this young gentleman is shown busily at work transforming his living apartments in London into a desolate garret. This is for Colt, Sr.'s, benefit, as being desired to produce an impression of abject poverty on papa. However, a previous incident spoils the whole family peace. Young Colt, some years before, had accidentally blundered at night into the steamer stateroom of a young girl. Coming out in confusion, he was met, by an irate father, who compelled him to sign a marriage contract, under penalty of all kinds of scandal. His "wife" he never saw. Learning the particulars of this case, the father is angered beyond measure, and sentences his son to go to India, under another name, and retrieve himself.

Previous to his departure, however, he meets a young woman with whom he falls deeply in love. Unknown to him, she is the second party to his galling marriage contract. She loves Colt in return, but the same obstacle opposes itself to an acceptance, should he make advances. The precious plight of these young hearts forms the principal warp on which the woof of the story is woven. After a series of comicalities things are made straight, and the lovers find that they have already been married for several years.

The artistic hit of the piece is made by William Bernard, in the role of Mr. Gibb, a timid, effeminate person, so afraid of speaking before any one that he says not a word until the end of the play. Dashing Bernard has so covered himself up with the simpering characteristics of this creature as to almost conceal his own identity. His facial pantomime is uncommonly funny.

George Allison is seen in the role of Christopher, Jr., a part which seems especially fitted to his capabilities. As a lover, Allison has the happy qualification of being human without drifting into the dangerous gulf of sentimentalism. Miss Crawford plays the part of Dora Hedway, the sweetheart-wife of young Colt, with a delightful little undercurrent of comedy running through the evident sincerity of her work.

Bennet Southard is logged out as Whimper, a tottering old man servant of the Colts. As there is considerable friction between the two heads of the family, his evident desire to please is the cause of no little embarrassment. His comedy is good.

Other members of the cast who make pleasing use of their opportunities are Miss Mina Crollus Gleason, Miss Norma Hyatt, Miss Gertrude Rivers, William Dills and Howard Russell.

The scenic investiture, except that of the second act, is only passable.

The only matinée will be given Saturday.

ORPHEUM. Frederick Bond, with a capable supporting company, presents a clever sketch at the Orpheum this week, entitled "My Awful Dad." It treats of a reversal of the usual conditions, in that a solemn, serious young lawyer is made to look carefully after the wild antics of his father, the gayest of the gay old boys. In the hands of even such a capable comedian as Sam Edwards a characterization of this sort would be beefy and tiresome, but Bond is in a class by himself. There is such a dainty refinement of profligacy, such an exquisite nicety about all of his risque speeches and doings, that he is really interesting. Arthur Buchanan, as the son, looks like a bilious divinity student, and ably supports the star.

Arnesen gymnast, well deserves his programme title, "Incomparable." He is a poetic-looking Swede, who performs in evening dress. His feats are original and remarkable specimens of acrobatic skill worked out to the "Nth" power. Princess Loseros, prima donna soprano, has a well-cultivated, coloratura voice, which she uses with facile shakes, trills and runs in pyrotechnic songs a la Italiana.

Wood and Ray present a more or less humorous, although pointless, sketch, entitled "A Funny Bunch of Nonsense." "Ham" actor imitations are the man's specialty, but with clever Keough so close behind him on the same stage painful comparisons are inevitable. James Richmond Glenroy, with green gloves and a monologue off which some one seems to have clipped the end, bores the audience with windy nothingness for twenty minutes.

The best of the holdovers are Almont and Dumont; then come the Tyrolean duettists and the gymnasts Rio. The Kinodrome winds up the show with moving pictures.

GRAND OPERAHOUSE. With a crowd that filled all the standing room until care for safety told the doorkeepers to let in no more, the Sanford players couldn't complain for lack of patronage Sunday afternoon at the first presentation of their melodrama, "The Struggle of Life."

This noisy play is not to be considered seriously for a moment. It contains twenty thrills, several fights and apparently two or three murders per act. The only wonder is that there are people enough left to finish out the play at all.

The scene is laid in New York, or some placed alleged to be New York, and the action pictures the usual hard luck of a sailor hero, stranded on dry land with a pocket full of money. He gets it in the neck—gets it all around, in fact—but he is tough and can't be killed. He thwarts villain, villainess and all, and bobs up serenely after every crash of Fate, every villain in his frantic endeavors to polish off the whole bunch, at the first performance, backed clear out over the footlights, nearly tumbled into the orchestra, and as a final crusher had the curtain fall and the house lights come on before he could extricate himself from his predicament. The explosion from the gallery just here raised the entire roof.

The brunt of this hard work falls upon William Desmond, Thomas Keene, Miss Ethel Earle and Miss Laura Wall. Thanks to apparent physical training, they seem to stand the strenuousity pretty well.

"TWEENTIMES."

BY E. A. BRININSTOOL.

GOOD-BY TO THE FIGURE!

The baggy blouse waist and the extreme dip belt must go
To be a-la and snug and trim—and to have no hips—is
to be the correct form this winter. The
really well-dressed woman will appear
in an almost skin-tight gown.
Our maidens once more are confronted
with trouble.
Dame Fashion's decree they cannot
over throw;
The problem is causing a spasmodic
bubble.
Of high indignation—the dip belt
must go!

No longer the baggy blouse
blouse waist was a wonder—
Huge hips are tabooed as a
horrible fright;
To catch public gaze, and to
woo and to win it,
The girl must appear in a
gown that's skin-tight!
Good-by to the figure,
The deceptive figure,
That men once declared to
be "just out of sight!"

Time was when the baggy
waist was a wonder—
A creation that was pronounced "just a dream,"
But now we aver the modiste made a blunder,
And that things are not always just
what they seem.
The fashions decree that its day is fast
dying,
And that is the reason this jingle
we write,
In hopes that some fashionable maid
will be trying
To squeeze on a gown that is simply
skin-tight!
Good-by to the figure,
The falsified figure,
That once caught your eye and was
called "out of sight!"

Alas! when the baggy blouse waist has
departed,
And hips that are false have been
taken from view,
What is to become of the maiden faint-
hearted,
Who bushingly trips down the broad
avenue?
What is there about her to call captivating—
The maid with a figure that's simply
a fright?
What charm that to men was once
most fascinating,
When she ambles out in a gown that's
skin-tight?
Good-by to the figure,
That made-over figure,
That once you declared to be "just
out of sight!"

Dr. Wiley of the Agricultural Department at Washington, says baldness is a sign of intellectuality. Still, we have never noticed any men of marked intellectual caliber in the baldheaded row.

The end-seat hog in the East is now giving away to the next-to-the-stove porcine specimen.

A Texas man predicts that the world will come to an end in November. This will settle the coal question with lots of us.

The principal of the public school at Kenosha, Wis., has placed a ban on cigarette smoking among his male pupils, but makes no objections to cigars or pipes. In time, he may even condescend to allow the girls to chew gum and nibble fudge during recitations.

A Chicago scientist avers that milk is food, not water. But has the Chicago man ever tasted Los Angeles milk?

IN CALIFORNIA HOSTELRIES.

The happy landlord wears a smile,
Financial bliss for him is sure,
Because in just a little while
The tourists will begin to tour.

BOTH IN THE SAME BOAT.

A young man of Montana went to church with his best girl. Both were quite bashful and modest. When the collection was being taken up the young man explored his pockets and whispered to the young lady: "I haven't a cent. I changed my pants." In the meantime the lady had been searching in her pockets, and, finding nothing, blushed a rosy red as she stammered: "I'm in the same predicament."—Topeka (Kan.) Mail.

A Chicago couple got married on Sunday, the 13th, at 13 minutes of 12, at a spot in Lake Michigan 13 miles from shore, where the water was 13 fathoms deep. The minister's fee was $13. Bring on your hoodoos!

NO DOUBT OF IT.

"Des put on dat 'ar toomstun," said the bereaved colored widow, "dat de ol' man had dun gone to glory."

"Are you sure of that?" inquired the cautious tombstone dealer.

"Shuah ob it? Ob co'se I's shuah ob it. De 'splosion sent him dat way an' we ain't axed nuffin ob him sence. Shuah? Dar ain't no doubt ob it, sah."

MAN'S EXTREMITY.

He comes with laggard step and slow,
A slinking, timid creature;
Remorse portrays his every woe,
There's graveness in each feature.

He hopes she'll ask no questions, still
He might have known her better;
He trembles as she asks, "Say, Will,
Did you mail mother's letter?"

Arctic Explorer Peary has but three toes left, but what are a few toes compared to the glory of finding the North Pole.

Auntie Nation has begun a crusade against the peek-a-boo shirt waist. Isn't it about cool enough for her to also include the screen-door stockings.

HUMP YOURSELF.

Take a lesson from the camel,
If up Fame's highway you'd jump;
Only way to win success is,
Just by keeping "on the hump."

"YES, GUS, SPEAK UP."

Last Thursday morning, long before the golden sun tore the silvery veil of mist from the jeweled brow of night, kissing the trembling dewdrops on every leaf and flower, while the languished east was blushing to behold Gus Schaub and his fair Emma started for the Freeport fair. Gus was all attention and Miss Emma was all smiles, and they enjoyed the day as only youth and beauty could. On the way home beneath the soft, trembling stars, Miss Emma drove, and Gus's arms, oh where were they?—[Cross Roads News.

LULLABY.

Goodnight, my baby, the sun goeth down,
Flashing in splendor o'er valley and
town.
Swift comes the sand man to sprinkle
the eyes
Drowsily dreaming where Slumberland
lies.
Out of the shadows where Noddlekin
dwells,
Comes the faint tinkle of lullaby
bells,
Ringing sweet music, so softly and
light—
Sleep, little sweetheart,
Goodnight!
Goodnight!
Goodnight, my baby,
Lullaby, dear!
Sleep, little sweetheart, with never a
fear.
Hushaby, little one!
Lullaby, pretty one!
Sleep, little sweetheart,
Goodnight!
Goodnight!
Goodnight, my baby, the birds are at
rest,
Each downy fledgling tucked into its
nest.
Mother bird carols a sweet lullaby,
While the soft breeze swings her cradle on high;
Out of the heavens the star-babies
peep,
Winking and nodding, their vigil they
keep;
Moonbeams are dancing in shadows
so bright—
Sleep, little sweetheart—
Goodnight!
Goodnight!

PROMINENT PEOPLE.

Secretary of the Navy Moody has been honored by having a public square named for him in Salem, Mass.

Mrs. John Jacob Astor owns the costliest ring in America. The setting is that rarest of gems, a flawless emerald, and the entire ring is incrusted with tiny diamonds.

The Dowager Empress of China is having her portrait painted by Miss Kate Augusta Carl, an American girl. By consent of Her Majesty, the portrait will be exhibited next year at St. Louis.

Jules Verne, the great novelist, has decided to undergo an operation for the removal of the cataracts from his eyes, which are gradually making him blind. He has lately been unable to see to use a pen and has been compelled to dictate his work.

Bishop Phalan of Pittsburgh owns a remarkable set of church vestments, which were brought to him from the Philippines by a soldier of the Tenth Pennsylvania Regiment. The needlework of the vestments is so fine that only experts can appreciate it.

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1	28,5260	17	24,0[illegible]
2	29,0070	18	24,0[illegible]
3	28,0[illegible]	19	24,0[illegible]
4	28,7[illegible]	20	24,0[illegible]
5	28,[illegible]60	21	24,0[illegible]
6	28,[illegible]50	22	24,0[illegible]
7	28,[illegible]80	23	24,0[illegible]
8	28,0[illegible]	24	24,0[illegible]
9	24,110	25	24,0[illegible]
10	24,[illegible]00	26	24,0[illegible]
11	24,[illegible]00	27	24,0[illegible]
12	24,[illegible]00	28	24,0[illegible]
13	24,[illegible]00	29	24,0[illegible]
14	24,[illegible]00	30	24,0[illegible]
15	24,[illegible]00	31	24,0[illegible]
16	24,[illegible]00		

HARRY CHANDLER.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this [illegible] day of September, 1903.

[Seal] T. L. CHAPIN,
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MORE PROOF

CHICAGO, Sept. 7, '03.

B'rhett Music Co.:

Gent'smen—

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Yours Gratefully,

MINNIE HANCE EVANS

Fine Custom Shoemaking

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LOS ANGELES, 125 S. BROADWAY. PASADENA, 39 E. COLORADO ST.

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Jewelers and Silversmiths

DOUGLAS BLDG., SPRING AND [illegible]

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4	23,720	20	24,310
5	23,480	21	24,420
6	23,760	22	24,460
7	23,680	23	24,680
8	24,110	24	24,520
9	24,000	25	24,180
10	24,100	26	24,420
11	24,420	27	24,420
12	24,400	28	24,750
13	24,400	29	24,400
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ZINKAND AND DELEGATE MIX.

Latter "Chips" at the Imperial and is Bounced.

Forty Men Walk Out Without Just Cause.

"Donnerwetter," Says Zinkand, "I Will Run My Own Business Already!"

"When it gets so that a man can't run his own business or even have a friendly discussion with his employés, without the interference and dictation of a walking delegate, it is time that labor unions be abolished by law."

Charles A. Zinkand was more disgusted than angry yesterday when his forty waiters at the Imperial Café were called out on a strike. He made the above remark last night to a Times reporter who had sauntered in. "I won't say Gott in himmel, rot, this time," he said, "but I feel like it. Here, I come down from San Francisco, invest my money and form my plans to give the public as good a restaurant as my long experience in the business can produce, and then because I try to talk over my plans with my waiters, a walking delegate comes around and tells me how I shall spend my money and what my plans concerning my men must be. Donnerwetter, wouldn't that make you crazy!"

Zinkand desired to pay his waiters by the month instead of by the week and had his steward, F. W. Robinson, call them together in order to discuss the matter. The president of their union, Meyers, was sent for and that "wrapped-up-in-his-own-importance" gentleman played shepherd dog for the union sheep and drove them all out on strike. But it didn't matter much. Genial Charles Zinkand was found seated behind the cash register with a smile upon his chubby cheeks, while his son and manager, Will Zinkand, escorted the ladies to seats and filled their orders to the pink of perfection. He was assisted by Steward Robinson and the assistant steward, Charles Zeiner. Except for two nonunion men who asked for work shortly after the strike was declared, there were no other serving men on the floor.

"The worst of the whole thing is," said Zinkand, "not content with throwing out the waiters, that boycotter tried to get my cooks, barmen and even the orchestra to strike. He would ask me for the keys to lock up my doors if he dared, and then when he was put out, he sent some of his men back to try again to get my cooks to go, but not one of them left me and we are ready for business."

Zinkand has been saying his waiters $30 a week for a ten-hour daily service and no lay off. "I offered to pay them $35 a month and give them one day a week off," said Zinkand; "that is, I was discussing the matter with them when they were all ordered to walk. Then I proposed that they continue their work until the matter could be satisfactorily arbitrated. 'You can arbitrate the matter with me,' said the walking delegate, 'and the men stay out until our terms are agreed to, see?' 'But,' said I, 'I'm not employing you; you are not one of my waiters. What business have you around here? Get out of here or I will throw you out, and damn quick already.'"

The walking delegate saw the gleam in the eye which meant business and he went with his men at his heels. In San Francisco the union scale of waiters is $35 a month, for twelve hours a day and one day off. Zinkand's offer was better than that, as in addition to the day off he asks them to work only ten hours, which is equivalent in time to four more days off over the San Francisco wage.

"These waiters will only look at it from the standpoint of their walking delegate," continued Zinkand." They will not realize that I spend $200 a week for music alone, that I have many lights and nice furnishings and that all of this extra expense furthers their interests by pleasing my customers and insuring them a good tip. Any first-class, honest waiter can make from $2 to $3 a day here in tips and the job is worth $100 a month to almost all of them. They will not see the difference between a restaurant and a hash house where no tips are ever given. Personally I believe the tip system of this country is all wrong and in times past I have tried to do away with it in my restaurant, but the public will not help a man and it is almost an impossibility to control it. It is a foreign custom and like all foreign fads which come to this country, is overdone. This strike will not bother me. I stand ready to hire any good man who may come along willing to work at terms which we may decide upon, but if I want to hire my men by the month I am not going to allow any labor boss to come in and order me to hire them by the week or not at all."

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October 30 will be taken up by the Book Committee, Mrs. Mary Porter Haines will talk on "Gift Books, Old and New," "The Steel Engraving Lady Will Warble a Ditty," and "The Gibson Girl Will Sing."

The Ruskin Art Club spends little time in preliminary talks. Its first meeting, presided over by the president, Mrs. J. W. Hendricks, will open with a short business session, and then proceed at once to their pursuit of the studies of art. General art topics will be discussed by Mrs. W. H. Housh, and Mrs. J. B. Owens, the subject to consist of "The Building of a Picture," "Delight, the Soul of Art," "Art for Art's Sake," and "The Meaning of Pictures." The studies of the Renaissance, continued to the death of Louis XIV, will occupy the club for this year.

The Wednesday Morning Club meets this year in the Assembly Hall of the Congregational Church, where it met when the club was first organized, nearly seven years ago. The first meeting will take place on October 7, and will begin with a business meeting at 9:30 o'clock. This will be followed by five short addresses, interspersed with music. The first will be an address of welcome by the president, Mrs. Henry E. Brett. Mrs. M. A. Kenney, second vice-president, will respond for the club. Mrs. Frank E. Prior, vice-president of the Los Angeles district C.T.W.C., will speak of the work of the Federation. Mrs. Emma M. Greenleaf will speak for the Shakespeare study section of the club, and Mrs. Lou V. Chapin for the current events section, and Mrs. Park for the music section.

The club will continue with the study sections as before, the Shakespeare, current history and music meeting Wednesday mornings (except the first Wednesday,) fourth Monday afternoon and second and fourth Thursday afternoons. The first Wednesday mornings of each month will deal with the various subjects interesting the Federation, "Forestry," "Landmarks," "California History," "Education" and "Civics." In November Rev. Horace Day will speak on "Education." There will be a social in November to the Rt. Rev. Joseph H. Johnson, D.D., Bishop of the diocese of Los Angeles, who will speak on Indian topics.

The first social meeting of the Wednesday Morning Club will be in the nature of a club reception on the third Thursday in October. The third Thursday of each month will be observed socially.

The Shakespeare Alumni of Wednesday Morning Club will hold their first social meeting at the home of the alumni president, Mrs. Omar H. Hubbard, on Friday, October 2, from 2 to 5 p.m. This association is formed of members of the W.M.C. who have completed a four years' course of study under the auspices of the club; at present they number sixteen.

Both Wrong.

The investigations concerning the longitude difference between Greenwich and Paris have now been completed. The work has been of a particularly arduous and protracted nature, necessitating enormous calculations.

Altogether the English and French observers have carried out 320 observations, equivalent to eighty nights' work each. Two English and two French observers have been engaged upon the task. The observations were made at Greenwich and Paris simultaneously, and in order to obtain absolutely similar results the instruments were frequently interchanged.

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Imagine how many ends were left from that extraordinary black silk sale of some six weeks ago; then add every short length from regular stock and you will soon see why a quick clean-up is absolutely essential. Every piece is half price or next door to it. Lengths from 1½ to 8 yards. We might say that about the best news is the big assortment of waist lengths—3½ to 5 yards each—in plain and fancy weaves, while there are

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Narrow Four-in-hand Ties, black and leading colors, including medallion Pins of well known actresses.

50 Cents instead of 75c.

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Serges, Cheviots Homespuns, Zibelines.

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Best Creamery Roll butter per lb	35c	Arm & Hammer Baking Soda, 4 1-lb pkgs	25c	Fig Cream, per doz	95c
Fancy Eastern Eggs, per doz	25c	Arcter's Starch, 4 1-lb pkgs	25c	Lily Cream 2 cans	25c
Lard, Rex or Silver Leaf, 3 lb pail	30c	Kingsford's Starch, per pkg	10c	Old Glory Beans, three 2-lb cans	25c
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THE WEATHER.

COMPARATIVE TEMPERATURES.*

	Max.	Min.	Mean.		Max.	Min.	Mean.
Boston	72	54	63	New York	74	54	64
Washington	84	52	68	Buffalo	62	44	53
Pittsburgh	68	44	56	Cincinnati	68	44	55
Chicago	58	48	53	St. Paul	54	40	47
St. Louis	64	52	58	Kansas City	70	52	61
Los Angeles	66	61	64	Jacksonville	84	68	76

*The maximum is for September 27; the minimum for September 28. The mean is the average temperature for the two days.

Yesterday's Forecast and Report.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Sept. 28.—[Reported by George E. Franklin, Local Forecast Official.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 29.90; at 5 p.m., 30.02. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 62 deg. and 63 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 94 per cent.; 5 p.m., 81 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., east, velocity 1 mile; 5 p.m., west, velocity 8 miles. Maximum temperature, 72 deg.; minimum, 61 deg. Rainfall past twenty-four hours, .20 of an inch; rainfall for season, .43 of an inch. Barometer reduced to sea level.

Weather Conditions.—General rain has fallen in the Southwest within the past twenty-four hours, being especially heavy in Southeastern Arizona and Western Texas. At Los Angeles, .42 of an inch fell, making .43 for the season. Phoenix reports a thunderstorm. Generally cloudy weather prevails over the western half of the country, and the State forecast indicates showers for tonight and Tuesday. Cold weather is reported from Montana and Wyoming.

Forecasts.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Tonight showers; Tuesday showers.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 28.—Weather conditions and general forecast. The pressure has risen along the coast and has fallen in the intermountain region. A marked depression overlies Nevada, and showers are reported in the Southern Sierras, and generous rains in Arizona, New Mexico and Northwestern Texas. Good rains have also fallen in Oregon and Washington. Much cooler weather prevails over the northern half of the Pacific Slope. At Red Bluff, Roseburg and Portland, there has been a fall of 20 deg. No rain has yet fallen in the San Joaquin Valley, but conditions are favorable for showers, and raisin-makers have been advised to keep their trays stacked. Eastbound travelers over southern routes may expect heavy rains east of the Colorado River.

Forecast:

For Northern California: Cloudy, unsettled weather; probably showers; continued cool weather; fresh southerly wind.

For Southern California: Cloudy, unsettled weather; probably showers; fresh southwest wind.

Nevada: Cloudy, cooler; brisk to high westerly winds.

San Francisco and vicinity: Cloudy, unsettled weather, with showers; fresh southwest wind.

Sacramento and vicinity: Cloudy Tuesday; probably showers in morning; cooler; fresh south winds, changing to northerly.

Arizona: Fair Tuesday; Wednesday, fair, warmer.

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NOTICE—

There are several men about this section who pretend to "rejuvenate" and "enliven" piano hammers, and trying to convince the people that moths are destroying the piano, even if such is not the case. These men are using my name, and I herewith pronounce them impostors.

F. W. KRINGEL, Piano Tuner. 29

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UMBRELLA AND GLOVE MAKERS—You can save 30c on every dollar by purchasing direct from maker; umbrellas recovered and made to order. 321½ S. MAIN.

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BUSINESS SYSTEMIZED — ACCOUNTING methods introduced, Books investigated. W. R. BLACKMAN, C.P.A., 106 Henne Bldg.

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PERSONAL—

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PERSONAL—RETURNED, MRS. J. J. WHITNEY, business, psychic and life reader. Information on mining and all life's affairs. Come and converse with those passed beyond. 133 E. FOURTH ST., Hotel Johnson.

PERSONAL — MRS. PARKER, RELIABLE life reading; palmist; business, lawsuits, mineral locations described; speculations, property, love affairs. 410½ S. SPRING ST., room 8, 50c to $1.

PERSONAL—LEONIE—The seventh daughter of the seventh. English scientific palmist and psychic, still giving her dollar readings for 25c. Room 18, 311 W. THIRD ST. 2

PERSONAL — LADIES, ATTENTION! MISS A. B. Korn. Superfluous hair, moles, warts and birthmarks removed by electricity. Room 223, JOHNSON BLDG.

PERSONAL—B. B. B. ENGLISH CARAMEL cures superfluous hair; trial treatment free. ELITE, 455 S. Broadway, rooms 3 and 4. 2

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PERSONAL—
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PERSONAL — KATE LAMPMAN KNAPP, life readings Tuesday and Friday. 1026 BONNIE BRAE.

PERSONAL—MME. ORA, 331½ S. SPRING, Palmist, card reader. Ladies, 25c; men, 50c.

WANTED—
Help, Male.

HUMMEL BROS. & CO. EMPLOYMENT AGENTS. A Strictly First-class Reliable Agency. All kinds of help promptly furnished. Your orders solicited.

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MEN'S DEPARTMENT.

Milk-wagon driver, $35 etc.; teamster, city, $2 and room; horseshoer, $3; stableman, $30 etc.; young man for delivery, $40 month; man to husk corn, $1.50 etc.; man and wife, yardman and cook, $60 etc.; tinner, $3 day, 8 hours; 2 bricklayers, 40c hour; ranch blacksmith, $50 etc.; lathers, $2 per thousand; foreman for lime kiln, $100; men to pitch beans, $1.50; printing press feeders, union wages; 6 men for sugar factory, $2.40; boy learn tinsmithing, $6; middle-aged man for camp, $25 etc. month; camp blacksmith, city, $50 etc.; man to truck grain, $2.25; 2 wood choppers, $4 cord; stair builder, $3.50; grape pickers, $1.10 and board; 20 ranch hands, Santa Ana, $30 etc.; laborers for Catalina, $60 etc., free fare; man for sugar factory, $2.50; driver, feed yard, $12 week; 20 laborers, railroad work, Nevada, free fare; 50 ranch hands, $30 to $40 etc.; 10 carpenters, city, $3.50; 3 carpenters, rough work, $3 day; sticker hand, $3.50; carpenters, country, $3.50; miners, $3 day; 3 milkers, $35 etc.; man to drive bakery wagon; boys for cannery, $1 and $1.50; 4 men for cannery, $2.

HOTEL AND RESTAURANT DEPT.

Hotel cook, Arizona, $70 etc.; hotel cook, Nevada, $75 etc.; ranch and camp cooks, $30 to $60; hotel cooks, $75; restaurant cook, $50 etc.; $60 etc.; third cook, $12; bellboys, $15 etc.; elevator boy, $15; second pantry man, $30 andm eals; camp cook and helper, $70 etc.; starch and shirt ironer, $15.

WOMEN'S HOTEL DEPARTMENT.

Housegirl, Redlands, 2 in family, $25 etc.; another, $30 etc.; good places; many housegirls for city and country places, $20 etc.; $25 etc.; $30 etc.; girls to assist, $15 etc.; $20 etc.; ranch cook, $30 etc.; young lady who can sing, to travel, $35 and expenses; ½-day chambermaids, 50c day.

WOMEN'S HOTEL DEPARTMENT.

Restaurant cook, $10 week; cook, institution, $40 etc.; cook, small hotel near Santa Barbara, $35 and fare; pastry cook, $8 week; restaurant cook, $14 week; chambermaid, $6 week; experienced girl for labeling, $5 week; head waitress, $30 etc.; dishwasher, $25 etc.; kitchen helper, $6 week; waitress, Redlands, $30 etc.; another, $25 etc.; another, La Jolla, $25 etc.; another, Ocean Park, $25 etc.

29 HUMMEL BROS. & CO.

WANTED — FOR THE U. S. MARINE Corps; able-bodied, unmarried men, between 21 and 35; good character; must speak, read and write English; marines serve at sea on men-of-war in all parts of the world, on land in our island possessions, and at naval stations in the United States. Apply at RECRUITING OFFICE, 222½ N. Main st., Los Angeles, Cal.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN WITH EXPERIENCE in installment business, as clerk, $65; clerk with experience in hats and furnishings, $15; salesman in furniture, $65; young man with dry goods experience, as general decorator in country store, $75; junior office assistants who use stenography and typewrite. 215 COPP BLDG. 29

WANTED—JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 542 S. Olive street. 'Phone Main 1967, Home 5728. Strictly first-class and largest agency in this city; carefully-selected male and female help of all descriptions and nationalities furnished promptly; labor furnished by the day.

WANTED—JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT OFFICE. Management of Epworth League, M. E. Mission. Carefully selects and promptly furnishes most reliable help of all kinds, male and female. 933 S. BROADWAY. Tel. Pico 5791.

WANTED—JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 223 W. Ninth. Tel. Peter 4121; Home 4694. All kinds of first-class help promptly furnished; house cleaning, day or hour. Ranch work by contract.

WANTED — TRAVELING REPRESENTATIVE, $80; clothing floor walker; grocery deliveryman; watchman; jeweler; salesman, shoes, stationery; carpenters, private place; milker; hotel help; 19 assorted situations. EDWARD NITTINGER, 253½ S. Main. 29

WANTED—FIFTY MORE RELIABLE MEN with $50 to $300, make homes in live California town, 3000 people; pay for homes from wages; steady work guaranteed; $2 up. Call on KERR & HUEY, 411 Bradbury Bldg.

WANTED—MAN WITH REFERENCES FOR commercial traveler, to call on merchants and agents; experience not required; salary $24 per week, with expenses advanced. NATIONAL, 328 Dearborn st., Chicago.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN, ABOUT 18, TO work in furniture store; strong, temperate and willing to work; prefer boy who wishes to learn trade; state wages wanted. Address D, box 32, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED—A BRIGHT, INTELLIGENT BOY to work in and learn the photograph business; must be willing to work and live home with parents. Apply SCHUMACHER STUDIO, 107 N. Spring st. 29

WANTED—JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT AGENCY. Cooks, waiters, porters, ranch hands, house and window cleaners, by day, hour or contract. 102 W. SIXTH ST. Joseph 7461.

WANTED—JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT BUREAU, of Y.M.C.A., 618 S. Los Angeles st.; supplies promptly most reliable help of all kinds. PHONE JAMES 4061. 31

WANTED—YOUNG MAN, GOOD PENMAN, familiar with fire insurance business, rates filling up policies, etc.; good position with good firm for the right man. Apply 525 BYRNE BLK. 29

WANTED — GOOD RELIABLE MEN FOR lumber woods; also lumber pilers for sawmill; wages from $40 per month and upward with board. Apply UNION LUMBER CO., Bakersfield. 30

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS GROCERY SOLICITOR having a large line of customers in southeast quarter of Los Angeles city. Good wages. Address D, BOX 3, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED — INDEPENDENT PLASTERERS, carpenters and brick layers; good wages to competent men. Apply to MASTER BUILDERS' ASSOCIATION, 452 Stowell Block, city.

WANTED—JAPANESE INFORMATION BUREAU, 123 N. Main st. 'Phone John 1198. All kinds of domestic help, cook, waiter, etc., promptly furnished. Contractor for farm.

WANTED — MEN TO LEARN BARBER trade; only requires two months, saving two years; catalogue and special offer mailed free. MOLER SYSTEM COLLEGE, S. F.

WANTED—MAN FOR PRIVATE PLACE, take care of lawn, horse, cow and make himself generally useful, $20 per month. 8TH AND MAGNOLIA, Long Beach. 29

WANTED—A MAN WHO IS ANXIOUS TO get into light manufacturing business; small capital required. Apply MORLEY & M'DONELL, 288 S. Los Angeles st. 29

WANTED—YOUNG MAN IN STORE, EXperienced in tailoring business. Salary according to ability. SMITH & ESPOSITO, Johnson Bldg., 4th and Broadway. 29

WANTED — YOUNG MAN WITH ONE TO three years' experience in horseshoeing and blacksmithing; steady job to right party. X, care Tribune, Fullerton, Cal. 2

WANTED—12 NON-UNION PAINTERS AND 2 paper hangers; none but first-class men need apply. Wages $2.50, 8 hours' work. H. L. BRANDES, Santa Barbara. 29

WANTED—GOOD TEAMSTER TO DRIVE 4-horse team, steady man, wages seventy. GEO. M'KIBBION, Hesperia, Cal. 4

WANTED—MAN OR WOMAN AS MANAGER of large restaurant; must have had experience. Address, stating salary expected, D, box 23, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS TURNER, shaper hand, band sawyer and bench hand at once. NATIONAL MILL AND LUMBER CO., 640 Aliso st. 2

WANTED — BOY TO DO LIGHT WORK around packing-house. Apply to NORTH ONTARIO PACKING CO., 508-510 Molino st., Los Angeles.

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED SALESMAN with Los Angeles experience; staple article; commission basis. Address Z, box 27, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED—MAN TO LEARN ASSAYING and general ore testing; night or day instructions. Address C, box 70, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — FOR RELIABLE HELP OF all kinds, male and female, try BAEYERTZ, room 15, 142 S. Broadway. 'Phone Home 6312. 29

WANTED—SIX SHOVEL AND PICK MEN, city; $2. Call early. Home for young man on ranch, $20, board and room. 108 W. 3rd. 29

WANTED—HAND BROOM SEWER, ALSO operator on McComb's power broom sewer. EXCELSIOR BROOM FACTORY, 811 Short. 1

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS COATMAKER; steady employment; wages $30 per week. ANGEVINE WOOLEN CO., 242 S. Spring st.

WANTED—
Help, Male.

WANTED—BOILER MAKERS AND HELPERS. Call at 124 E. THIRD ST., or at SAUGUS, 30 miles north on S.P.R.R. 30

WANTED—A GOOD-SIZED, ACTIVE BOY to deliver groceries; one living at home preferred. 1552 W. SEVENTH ST. 30

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WANTED—BOY WITH WHEEL. APPLY AT THE UNIQUE CLOAK AND SUIT HOUSE, 245 S. BROADWAY. 29

WANTED — BOY ABOUT 16 FOR OFFICE work; must write good long hand. Apply store, 135 TEMPLE, mornings. 29

WANTED—TWO MEN CLOTHES PRESSERS. LOS ANGELES CLEANING-PRESSING CLUB, 323 N. 3rd st. 29

WANTED—GIRL FOR HOUSEWORK; FAMily of 2; good home to right person. MRS. COATES, 143 E. 27th st. 30

WANTED—GOOD COOK, IMMEDIATELY. Apply at GRAND STAND, Agricultural Park. Also dishwasher. 30

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS, RELIABLE ADvertising man; reference required. 409 MASON OPERAHOUSE. 30

WANTED—LATHERS, REGULAR WORK, $1.25 per M. Call at new schoolhouse, SICHEL ST., E. L. A. 29

WANTED — OFFICE MAN, $100 PER month; must have $600. SNOVER & CHAFFEE, 119 S. Broadway. 30

WANTED—STICKER HAND; TWO CARPENters to build lumber shed. CARPENTER & BILES, 120 E. 23d. 30

WANTED—SHINGLER, LATHER, PLASterer and electrician at 2507 E. FOURTH ST. Job work. 30

WANTED—GOOD DELIVERY BOY, WITH wheel. Drug store, THIRD AND BROADWAY. 30

WANTED—GOOD, EXPERIENCED PIANO salesman for good house. Apply 335 BYRNE BLDG.

WANTED—MEN AND WOMEN TO LEARN the barber trade for $20. 122 E. SECOND. 30

WANTED—PANTS AND VEST MAKER. Address A. SCHUMM, Covina, Cal. 30

WANTED — GOOD FINISHING CARPENters. Apply today at 416 E. NINTH. 29

WANTED—STRONG BOY, ABOUT 18, MUST have bicycle. Apply 462 S. SPRING. 30

WANTED—ALL-ROUND LAUNDRY MAN. Address D, box 25, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED — CAMP FOREMAN GRADING camp, 111½ E. SECOND ST. 50

WANTED—PIN BOYS, AT THE CHUTES PARK BOWLING ALLEY. 29

WANTED—ONE STICKER HAND, APPLY PASADENA MFG. CO.

WANTED—A COLORED FURNITURE DRIver. 407 ALISO ST. 29

WANTED—TINNER, $3, 8 HOURS. 111½ E. SECOND. 29

WANTED—3 CARPENTERS AT 538 E. 30TH ST. 30

WANTED—
Help, Female.

WANTED—HOUSEGIRL, ELDERLY COUPLE, city, $35; colored housegirl, nice place, $30; two institution cooks, $40 each; 2 label girls, $5 week; housegirl, family two, Ocean Park, $35; housegirl, small family, Hill st., $30; working housekeeper, $35; cook, 10 boarders, $30; 3 housegirls, Westlake, $30 each. MRS. GREGG, Miss Day's office, 121½ S. Broadway. 29

WANTED—PASTRY COOK, $45; MAN AND wife as cook and yardman, Redlands, $60; 3 nurses, mental cases, $35; infant's nurse, $25; children's nurse, $15; another, $25; family cook for three, $30; another, $35; family waitress, $25; housegirl, Catalina, $25; extra long list housework. MRS. HAWLEY, 204 S. Broadway. 29

WANTED—35 GIRLS TO SEW ON POWER sewing machine to make overalls and pants; steady work and best of wages paid; inexperienced hands taught and paid while learning; we employ a special teacher for new beginners free of charge. Apply 346 N. MAIN. 6

WANTED—INSTRUCTOR MUSIC TEACHer; stuardess, go abroad; seamstress; saleladies, bakery; trimming underwear; suits, sundries, candies, groceries, insurance; office lady; waitress, second work; chambermaid. EDWARD NITTINGER, 253½ S. Main.

WANTED—HELP, FEMALE; WOMEN'S Employment Bureau; first-class in every particular. House girl, German, $25, family of 4; city nurse girl and chambermaid, $20; many other good places. MISS FOSTER, 247 S. Broadway, Room 11. 29

WANTED—GIRLS TO SEW IN OVERALL and pants factory; machines run by power; inexperienced hands paid while learning; steady work all year. Call at 344 NEW HIGH ST., near Temple.

WANTED — COOK AND SECOND GIRL, same place, city, $40, $25; cook, for ranch, $25; kitchen helper, $20; many places for house girls, city and country, $30; day work, $1.50. MISS WEAVER, 340½ S. Broadway. Main 874. 29

WANTED—GIRLS FOR OUR LABELING and bottling departments; good wages for those who take an interest in their work, and to such we can offer steady employment. 1001 E. FIRST.

WANTED—COOK, $30; HOUSE GIRL, (GERman,) $30; four house girls, $25-$30; waitresses, chambermaids, etc., at the BOSTON EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 230½ S. Broadway. 30

WANTED—WOMEN'S EMPLOYMENT BUreau. Women for all places and positions. Call or 'Phone Peter 8151. MISS M'KENZIE, room 6, 143 S. Broadway. 29

WANTED—WOMAN SANTA PAULA HOUSEwork, $35; cook, $40; second girl, $30; general housework, $25 and $35; lots of choice places. MISS M'KENZIE, 143 S. Broadway. 29

WANTED—GIRL COOK, SMALL RESTAUrant, $25 and board; housekeeper, two in family, $20; girl to help, three family, $25. MARKS & CO., 103 W. 3rd. 29

WANTED — YOUNG LADY CONVERSANT with palmistry and card reading; will pay highest salary to right party. Call at once, ... S. MAIN. Mrs. Dunton. 29

WANTED — SEE OUR LARGE FEMALE list in our ad. under "Male Help Wanted." HUMMEL BROS. & CO., 116-118 E. Second st. 'Phone Main 509.

WANTED—A NEAT YOUNG GIRL TO ASsist in housework; nice room and kind treatment. Call from 8 to 11 and 3 to 6, at 942 S. ALVARADO ST. 30

WANTED—WOMAN TO DO REPAIRING and pressing on ladies' garments; must be experienced. Inquire at THE L. A. VALET, 717 S. Broadway. 29

WANTED—IMMEDIATELY, WOMAN AND daughter run small furnished country hotel; clean, good cook. Address C, box 47, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED — YOUNG LADY FOR OFFICE, book-keeping and shorthand required; must have had experience; $25 month. 218 COPP BLDG. 30

WANTED—WOMEN AND GIRLS TO PACK dried fruit. Apply to NORTH ONTARIO PACKING CO., 508-510 Molino st., Los Angeles.

WANTED—A GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork, plain cooking; would consider man and wife. 8TH AND MAGNOLIA, Long Beach. 29

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork; must speak German; family 3, $25. Call at 453½ S. BROADWAY, room 20. 30

WANTED — MRS. DR. SPENCER'S EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 125½ E. Fourth st., for women only. 'Phone James 5421.

WANTED—HOUSEKEEPER, WITH CARE of children. Call after 6 p.m., or before 7 a.m. DUNCAN, 611 Bellevue ave. 30

WANTED—GOOD COOK FOR DELICACY store; either German or Swede; good wages. Apply 128 W. FIFTH. 29

WANTED—EXPERIENCED BODY IRONER AND SEAMSTRESS. CALIFORNIA LAUNDRY, 237 E. FIRST. 30

WANTED — NURSE, CONFINEMENT IN about two weeks. Address D, box 37, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED—HOUSEKEEPER FOR A SINGLE gentleman; good home. Address C, box 58, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED—AN APPRENTICE FOR HAIRdressing and manicuring. THE ELITE, 455 S. Broadway. 29

WANTED—LADIES' CLOTHES IRONER. Apply EXCELSIOR LAUNDRY, 444 S. Los Angeles st.

WANTED—GOOD WAIST HAND AT ONCE. Apply MISS DAY, dressmaker, 1000½ S. Main st. 30

WANTED—EXPERIENCED GIRL, WORK in coats; good wages. 120 N. MAIN ST., room 5. 30

WANTED — TRIMMER ON MILLINERY. Apply 349 S. BROADWAY, Vienna Millinery. 29

WANTED — EXPERIENCED GIRL FOR tailoring. LOUIS BRAND, 552 S. Broadway. 29

WANTED—GIRL TO ASSIST IN GENERAL housework. Apply 225 N. BROADWAY. 30

WANTED—A GOOD HAND ON CUSTOM pants. Apply ROOM 3, 107½ N. Main. 29

WANTED—WOMAN TO COOK; GOOD PIE and cake baker. BIMINI BATHS. 29

WANTED—HIGH SCHOOL GIRL TO WORK for room and board. 424 N. HILL. 30

WANTED—A WAITRESS. 215 E. FIRST. 29

WANTED—
Help, Male and Female.

WANTED—MAN AND WIFE; WOMAN TO do general housework, in family of 4; man to take care of yard and barn. Address X., 234 S. SPRING. 30

WANTED—A HELPER ON HARD CANDY. KAHN-BECK CANDY CO., 650 Aliso st. 30

WANTED—
Work by the Day.

WANTED — WORK BY THE DAY, HOUSE cleaning by a reliable woman; no washing. Address P, box 43, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED—
Situations, Male.

WANTED — POSITION BY FIRST-CLASS book-keeper, accountant and office man; hard worker, in good health, no bad habits; several years' experience in Mexico; speaks Spanish and German; age 40 years; can furnish bond of American Surety Co.; good references; can go on the road; experienced in handling men; liberal salary expected for faithful service. Address C, box 5, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN OF GOOD EDUcation and ability, position with reliable real estate firm; competent to give expert opinion on ranch or mining property; salary and commission preferred. Address D, box 17, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED—POSITION AS ASSISTANT UNDERTAKER in Arizona or Southern California; have had about one year's experience, and am making it a life study; best of references as to character and ability. Address box 7, REDLANDS, Cal. 29

WANTED — GARDENER AND FLORIST wants position on private place; understands gardening in all its branches; is industrious and sober; city references. Address D, box 18, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED — SITUATION IN SOUTHERN California by a tinsmith; ten years' experience, single, healthy and good habits; age 21 years. Address, stating salary, G. T. S., 103 E. Utica st., Buffalo, N. Y. 29

WANTED—YOUNG MAN FROM EAST wishes situation as janitor, door man, or private family. Nationality, Cuban descent; speaks good English. Address HOTEL WINDSOR, 113½ E. 1st. 29

WANTED—LUNCH COUNTER MAN; CAN cook short orders; 6 years' experience; will work outside city; can give reference. B. W. ARMSTRONG, Parker House, 409 E. Fifth st., Los Angeles, Cal. 2

WANTED—TRAVELING SALESMAN WITH long and successful experience and high-class reference, is open for engagement; no schemes nor fakes need answer. Address E, box 8, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED—ENGLISHMAN, AGED 32, MARried, desires situation. Knowledge of French and Spanish; thorough knowledge of bookkeeping. Address WALTER J. DEAKIN, Natick House. 29

WANTED—POSITION AS HOTEL MANAGER or club steward, by married man; no children; with first-class local references from last employer. Address D, box 19, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED — POSITION IN OFFICE BY young man of experience; writes good hand; best of references; willing to start on $10 per week. Address W, box 52, TIMES OFFICE. 4

WANTED—POSITION IN LAW OFFICE BY lawyer with five years' experience as chief clerk; am expert accountant, with best of references. Address D, box 32, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED—JAPANESE MAN AS GOOD cook; wife wants situation to do waiting on table, housework, small washing, in small family. S. KAWASAKI, 135 N. Main. 2

WANTED—A JOB AS CARPENTER FOREman by a non-union carpenter; 20 years' experience in California. Address or call on R. STEWART, 535 Stewart st. 29

WANTED—GENTLEMAN FROM EAST, OF good habits, education and address, 35 years of age, wishes employment. Address D, box 36, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED—A RELIABLE JAPANESE DEsires situation as a school boy in small family; can speak English fluently. C. KOMICHI, 744 Santee st. 2

WANTED—STEADY POSITION BY YOUNG man in retail hardware store; good references. Address HARRY CUMMINGS, 409 E. Fifth st. 29

WANTED—YOUNG MAN DESIRES CLERical position; four years' experience, first-class reference. Address D, BOX 1, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED—SITUATION BY AN ALL-ROUND baker of long experience; hotel preferred, city or country. Address D, box 22, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED — EXPERIENCED GROCERY clerk, with good references, would like situation. Address D, box 53, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED—JAPANESE, EXCELLENT FAMily cook, wants position in small family; wages $25 up. IY, 606 E. 12th st. Tel. Home 5691.

WANTED — SITUATION BY STUDENT, business college, to work evenings after 5 p.m. Address D, box 12, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED—SITUATION BY EASTERN MAN, hardwood varnisher and painter; understands car and carriage work. H. S., 929 Figueroa. 29

WANTED—JAPANESE, GOOD COOK, WHO has references, wants position in family; $6 up a week. 647 S. SPRING ST. 29

WANTED—POSITION WITH HARDWARE or implement firm; either in store or on road. Apply 311 W. THIRD ST. 30

WANTED — A JAPANESE BOY WANTS A position to work in afternoon, between 2 and 5 p.m. K. H., 727 W. Sixth st. 1

WANTED — SITUATION BY GARDENER and coachman in a private place. Address W., BOX 66, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED—POSITION AS TINNER BY A man of 8 years' experience. HARRY CUMMINGS, 409 E. Fifth st. 29

WANTED—POSITION AS GARDENER IN private family; good man with horses. Address box 73, PASADENA. 1

WANTED — JAPANESE DESIRES POSItion in store or as office boy. Address D, box 45, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—PLACE CARE HORSE, LAWN and cow, general work. Address D, BOX 28, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED—SITUATION WANTED BY BARber in first-class shop. 712 N. BUNKER HILL. 29

WANTED—CARPENTER WORK, JOB OR day. TELEPHONE HOME 4278. 5

WANTED—
Situations, Female.

WANTED — LADY WISHES POSITION OF visiting secretary to verify check books, answering letters, revising visiting lists, taking inventories for wills and insurance; to plan entertainments. Address V, box 53, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—REFINED LADY, FIRST-CLASS housekeeper and cook, desires position in widower's or private family; three years' reference; wages $35; sleep home if necessary. Address D, box 8, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED — COMPETENT COOK WANTS position in restaurant, hotel or delicacy store; either pastry or short order, or general meal cooking. Inquire 313 W. SEVENTH ST., room 14. 29

WANTED—EDUCATED LADY (GERMAN) desires position as companion or teacher in exchange for room and board; best of references can be given. Address C, box 45, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—IF YOU NEED COMPETENT help of any kind, cooks, house girls, waitresses, chambermaids, etc., 'phone 3631, THE BOSTON EMPLOYMENT AGENCY. 30

WANTED—MIDDLE AGED CAPABLE woman desires position as housekeeper in widower's home. Apply to 324½ W. TEMPLE. References. 29

WANTED—A POSITION AS ATTENDANT in physician's or dentist's office by young woman of experience. Address C, box 13, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED—YOUNG GERMAN LADY WISHes permanent outside position on general sewing. Address Y, box 60, TIMES OFFICE. 30

WANTED — POSITION BY THOROUGHLY competent stenographer; five years last position. Address Y, box 61, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED YOUNG girl wants position as second work in private family. Call at 1222 TRENTON. 29

WANTED—BY CAPABLE DRESSMAKER, position as maid to lady or children. Address D, BOX 4, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED—DAY WORK, NOT PARTICUlar what kind; washing, sweeping. MRS. G. B. SIMPSON, Garvanza.

WANTED—SITUATION BY YOUNG AMERican girl to assist with general housework, $15. PHONE 4532. 30

WANTED—GENERAL WORK IN PRIVATE family; good cook. Address D, box 34, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED—BY JAPANESE WOMAN, PLACE as cook and housework, $5 a week. N. K., 542 S. Olive st. 1

WANTED — RELIABLE WOMAN WANTS engagements for confinement. Room 8, 444 S. HILL ST. 29

WANTED — GOOD LAUNDRESS WANTS family work by the day. 746 MAPLE AVE. 30

WANTED—
Situations, Male and Female.

WANTED — SITUATION BY MAN AND wife; wife cook and housework; man all-around horseman. Address D, box 32, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED—
Partners.

WANTED—BRIGHT WOMAN, EITHER EXperienced or inexperienced, to buy interest in big-paying bath and massage business; can make money at once; only small capital needed; state the amount you have. Address D, box 16, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED—A LADY AS A PARTNER IN A new first-class rooming-house (unmarried.) Inquire at the HELEN GOULD, corner of Bacon and Second sts., San Pedro. Cars pass the door.

WANTED—WE HAVE A POSITION THAT carries a sure income of $100 a month, and only $500 takes it. BICE & KEYES, 307 S. Spring. 29

WANTED—
Rooms.

WANTED—BY A YOUNG MAN, A SMALL front room, if possible, with private family near the center of city. Address D, box 31, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED—WIDOWER, ALONE, WANTS 2-room flat, unfurnished, near Main or Vernon cars. Address D, box 81, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED—
Rooms with Board.

WANTED — WITH PRIVATE FAMILY, modern furnished room, with or without board, by young business man of good habits and references. Address D, box 33, TIMES OFFICE. 30

WANTED—ROOM AND BOARD BY YOUNG man; give description and price; permanent if suited. Address Y, box 77, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED—TWO ROOMS AND BOARD; TWO adults; walking distance; state terms. 425 W. THIRD. 30

WANTED—
Houses.

WANTED—I HAVE PURCHASER FOR 5 or 6-room house; part cash down, balance monthly payments; give terms and description. Address D, box 41, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED—
To Rent.

WANTED—HOUSES—FLATS—STORES—ALL THE TENANTS ALL THE TIME. RAPID, RELIABLE RENTING. WRIGHT & CALLENDER, MANAGERS OF RENTAL PROPERTY, 323 S. Hill st., Wright & Callender Bldg.

WANTED—TO RENT BY TWO ADULTS, A furnished or partly furnished sunny flat of about six rooms, in south or southwest. Address D, BOX 96, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED—WELL-FURNISHED HOUSE IN good neighborhood by party who can furnish best references. Address 321 BYRNE BLDG. 29

WANTED — 4 OR 5-ROOM HOUSE, FURnished or unfurnished, close in, cheap. Apply 230 BOYD ST. 1

WANTED—ALFALFA RANCH, ALSO LOWland pasture. 324 DOUGLAS BLDG. 29

WANTED—
To Purchase, Real Estate.

WANTED — I AM REVISING MY BOOKS AND WANT A LARGE, NEW AND FRESH STOCK OF GOODS TO MEET THE DEMANDS OF MY GROWING BUSINESS. IF YOU HAVE ANY BUSINESS PROPERTY, FLATS, HOUSES, VACANT LOTS OR COUNTRY PROPERTY THAT YOU WILL SELL OR EXCHANGE, PLEASE SEND DESCRIPTION, WITH YOUR LOWEST PRICE FOR THE SAME RIGHT AWAY, SO THAT I MAY HAVE YOUR PROPERTY CORRECTLY REPRESENTED ON MY BOOKS FOR THE FALL AND WINTER TRADE. I HAVE CASH BUYERS ALL THE TIME, BOTH FOR INVESTMENT AND HOMES. I HAVE BUYERS JUST NOW AS FOLLOWS: FOR BUSINESS PROPERTY, $10,000 TO $50,000; FOR BUSINESS PROPERTY OR INVESTMENT (MIGHT CONSIDER HOLLYWOOD,) $15,000 TO $25,000.

FOR FACTORY OR BUSINESS PROPERTY LEASED FOR A TERM OF YEARS, PAYING GOOD RATE OF INTEREST, $10,000 TO $30,000 OR MORE.

FOR PROSPECTIVE BUSINESS, CORNER LOT (S.W. CORNER PREFERRED,) $3000 TO $6000.

FOR INVESTMENT, $10,000 TO $15,000.

FOR NEW, TASTY, MODERN HOME, S.W., OR HILLS, $3500 TO $4500, OR VACANT LOT ABOUT $1500.

FOR 3 COTTAGES, LOCATION BUENA VISTA, ALPINE, COLLEGE, CASTELAR OR YALE STS.

FOR VACANT LOT, S.W., $800 TO $1000.

FOR 1, 2 OR MORE LOTS, $500 TO $1000.

FOR 6-ROOM COTTAGE, $1500 TO $2000, $200 TO $300 CASH, BALANCE MONTHLY PAYMENTS.

FOR HOME IN PASADENA, $4000 TO $5000.

FOR PASADENA OR HOLLYWOOD, FINE HOME IN CITY.

DO NOT DELAY. LIST YOUR PROPERTY WITH ME AT ONCE. I HAVE THE BUYERS WITH THE MONEY TO PAY FOR YOUR GOODS, C.O.D. AND OTHERWISE, AND IF PRICES ARE RIGHT, I CAN SELL THEM FOR YOU.

J. L. PATTERSON, 29 240 DOUGLAS BLDG.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE A MODERN 2-story house, worth from $5000 to $7500; must be north of Pico and west of Flower and in good locality; give your address, number of house, and full particulars. Address X, box 50, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED—TO PURCHASE MODERN 6-ROOM house, to cost from $4000 to $7000, or will buy lot from $1800 to $3000, corner preferred; give full particulars as to price, number of house, or exact location of lot, also your address. Address D, box 44, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED—VACANT LOTS. HOUSES. Will guarantee to sell any bargain in lots listed with us this week. ROBERTS LAND CO., Mines and assaying. 315 W. 4th. 29

WANTED — TO PURCHASE VACANT LOT west of Figueroa, north of Washington, east of Hoover; we have immediate use for a lot and will pay spot cash; agents please notice. CRIBB & SINCLAIR, 312 Wilcox Bldg. Tel. James 1341. 1

WANTED — WE WANT GOOD LOS ANGELES, Chicago or Minneapolis real estate for a fine orange grove home in beautiful Ontario. Address ALLYN & INGRAM, Ontario. 30

WANTED—LOT ON OR NEAR CENTRAL ave., for cash or 5 or 6-room cottage; must be a bargain. OSCAR B. SMITH, 219 W. Fifth st. 29

WANTED—5 OR 6-ROOM MODERN COTtage, southwest, not to exceed $3000; owners preferred. Address D, box 39, TIMES OFFICE. 30

WANTED—SPOT CASH FOR 50-FOOT LOT, Fifth to 20th, west of Figueroa; owners only answer. Address C, box 45, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—TO PURCHASE VACANT LOT; also a six or seven-room house in S. W. M'GUE, University Station. 29

WANTED—HOUSES OR LOTS, $20,000 TO INvest. ROBERTS LAND CO., 315 W. 4th st.

WANTED—
To Purchase, Miscellaneous.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE SECOND-HAND furniture, from finest to the cheapest; will pay the highest cash price. ISAACSON, 211 S. Main. Home 'phone 3272.

WANTED—TO BUY SECOND-HAND FURniture in any quantity; if you have one piece or house full we will pay you one-third more than others. Phones Red 3111, Home 2154. COLYEAR'S, 322 S. Main.

WANTED—TO BUY SECOND-HAND FURniture and household goods in any quantity; if you have one piece or house full we will pay you one-third more than others. 'Phone Red 3111. COLYEAR'S, 322 S. Main.

WANTED—IF YOU HAVE SECOND-HAND furniture that you want to sell, ring me up and I will call before you have time to change your mind. L. G. SKEELS, 507 S. Main. 'Phone Pico 5021.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE A ROOMING-house if price and location suits; your money is ready. Address 305 MASON OPERAHOUSE, or 'Phone James 7401; Home 1944.

WANTED—MAN'S TICKET OMOHA, KANsas City or Chicago. Tall, eyes light, hair gray. Call at GLADSTONE tomorrow, 12 to 2, Main and 5th. 29

WANTED—I PAY MORE THAN ANY ONE else for store fixtures, showcases, etc. Ring up James 4121. 316 E. FOURTH ST.

WANTED—STORE AND OFFICE FIXTURES doors and windows. Home 'phone 7063. CLIFFORD'S, 226 S. Los Angeles st.

WANTED—I WILL PAY CASH FOR GOOD second-hand furniture. Ring up GODDARD, 506 S. Broadway. Peter 3231.

WANTED — CHEST CARPENTER TOOLS; will pay reasonable price. Address RAY, 313 E. NINTH ST.

WANTED—TO BUY SECOND-HAND clothing, etc.; highest prices. Ring up PICO 5821. 5

WANTED — CASH PAID FOR FEATHER beds. 1103 E. 7TH. 'Phone Black 3151.

WANTED—
Miscellaneous.

WANTED—TO TEACH MY METHOD OF massage and electric treatment at $10 for 12 lessons, and will guarantee permanent position at $10 per week as soon as are competent. MRS. BURT, 323½ W. First st. 29

WANTED — TELEPHONE YOUR WANT ads. Ring up Press One any time of day or night, and The Times will give prompt and careful attention. Rate 1 cent a word each insertion. Minimum charge, 25 cents.

WANTED—STEADY MAN WITH TEAM TO take contract for cleaning vacant lots. Apply REALTY BOARD, 500 Lankershim Bldg., 11 a.m.

WANTED—HAVE PART OF A CAR OF household goods for St. Louis; want some one to join me. Address D, BOX 21, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED—HAY OR STRAW BALING, CAN put three presses on jobs this week; big jobs preferred. MARTIN, 700 N. Los Angeles st. 29

WANTED—TO TAKE ONE OR TWO CHILdren from 2 to 4 years old, $15 to $20 a month. MRS. G. B. SIMPSON, Garvanza. 29

WANTED—I WILL PAY CASH FOR GOOD second-hand furniture. Ring up GODDARD, 506 S. Broadway. Peter 3231. Home 3231.

WANTED—ROOFING; ANY ONE TO FIGure on roofing my new house. 1301 KENSINGTON ROAD, west of Douglass. 29

WANTED — SECOND-HAND FURNITURE; we pay an honest cash price. Tel. Main 2851. DANNING & NAUGLE, 553 S. Olive.

WANTED—ADDRESS OF PARTIES SELLing powdered fire extinguisher. Address D, box 9, TIMES OFFICE. 30

TO LET—
Rooms.

TO LET — NICELY FURNISHED APARTments in the B. & C. apartments at 345 S. Hope st.; two rooms all complete for light housekeeping. See Mrs. Heady, manager, flat 6, or BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN, owners, 440 Douglas Bldg. Rent day, week or month. 1

TO LET — NICELY FURNISHED SINGLE room on ground floor in the B. & C. apartment house at 345 S. Hope st., for light housekeeping if desired. See Mrs. Heady, manager, at flat 6; only $2.50 per week. BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN, 440 Douglas Bldg. 1

TO LET—PART OF NEW, MODERN FLAT, 2 or 3 rooms, sunny, completely furnished, gas, gas stove, electricity, fireplace, pantry, porcelain sink, bath, telephone, close in; adults, $25, $30. Home 'Phone 6104. 222 S. FIGUEROA. 29

TO LET—FOUR COMPLETELY FURNISHED housekeeping rooms for care of two good children the day, ages 3 and 5 years; gas, bath, instantaneous heater; also sleeping room; $5 per month. 1198 N. OLIVE. 29

TO LET—AT 113 N. OLIVE, LOVELY FURnished parlors, sunny, 2 beds to 4 gentlemen, $25; 3 single rooms, $2.50 week and $3; adults; 1 small clean rear room, $5 month; bath, telephone, close in location. 29

TO LET—817 S. OLIVE, OCTOBER 1, IN new, modern lower flat, 2 large connecting newly furnished sunny housekeeping rooms; pantry, stationary tub, gas range, electricity, bath, Home 'phone; adults. 1

TO LET—CLOSE IN, HOUSEKEEPING rooms; very reasonable; nice sleeping rooms for gentlemen; 'phone, bath, gas, walking distance west through Normal School grounds. 506 S. FLOWER. 2

TO LET—IN FIRST-CLASS LOCATION, A private residence; kitchen and dining-rooms, with other rooms in connection or separate, nicely furnished, including piano. 2036 S. HILL ST. 1

TO LET—FURNISHED SUNNY FRONT rooms; everything new; private residence; corner house; gentlemen; cars pass door; walking distance; $8, $9 and $10 monthly. 1339 S. HILL. 2

TO LET—UPPER PART OF HOUSE, FURnished for housekeeping; two bedrooms, sitting-room, kitchen, private bath. No. 4 BARNARD PARK, corner Washington and Grand ave. 29

TO LET — THREE VERY PLEASANT housekeeping rooms; also one single room for gentleman; everything modern; rent reasonable; no children. Call after Sunday. 1147 S. OLIVE. 29

TO LET—3 FURNISHED ROOMS, OR ½ OF a cottage, clean, just furnished, gas, electricity, bath; also single rooms. Call between 9 and 11 or 2 and 4. 729 SAN JULIAN ST. 29

TO LET — HOPE VILLA, 737-739 S. HOPE, corner Eighth; very desirable corner room, southeast exposure; grate, private bath, small veranda; also sunny single rooms. 1

TO LET—FURNISHED, 4 ROOMS ON TEMple; front part of house; all outside rooms; separate entrance; sitting-room, kitchen, 2 bedrooms. Inquire 530 S. MAIN ST. 29

TO LET — FURNISHED SUNNY FRONT rooming cottage; four adults in house; gentlemen or elderly couple, $3 per week, light heat included. 823 S. BROADWAY. 29

TO LET—2 LARGE SUNNY ROOMS, NEW and newly furnished, all modern conveniences, 'phone; gentlemen or business ladies preferred. 746½ S. FIGUEROA. 30

TO LET—CLOSE IN, FURNISHED, THREE-room lower flat, grate, Jewel range, two beds, sunny, very desirable; also two single rooms, $8. 949 S. FLOWER. 29

TO LET—HOUSEKEEPING SUITES, FURnished, walking distance; also sunny rooms single or en suite; are new and modern. THE DAPHNE, 424 S. Grand ave. 29

TO LET—IN LARGE HOUSE, NEAR IN, 2 south rooms, $12 and $15; furnace heat; completely furnished, with kitchen; housekeeping, bath, parlor. 121 N. HILL. 29

TO LET — WALKING DISTANCE; 3 FURnished housekeeping rooms; gas stove, cook stove, sink, pantry, back porch, telephone, bath. 205 W. NINTH ST. 29

TO LET—SUNNY FURNISHED HOUSEkeeping room and screen porch, in cottage, $10.50, including electric lights and gas for cooking. 733 S. FLOWER. 1

TO LET—PLEASANT ROOMS, SINGLE OR en suite, absolute cleanliness, reasonable prices, permanent or transient. HOTEL GILBERT, 316 S. Broadway.

TO LET—TWO SUITES OF THREE ROOMS each; bright, sunny and well furnished for housekeeping. 513 COURT ST., three blocks from First and Broadway. 29

TO LET — NICELY FURNISHED SUNNY rooms for housekeeping, bath, gas, electricity, private family, good location, adults only. 217 E. 20TH. 1

TO LET—IN QUIET PRIVATE HOME, FURnished rooms for an elderly couple or party of tourists; all modern conveniences. 1060 W. WASHINGTON. 4

TO LET—$15; 3 ROOMS, NEW, MODERN, elegant, 234 S. Figueroa; or $25, furnished completely, 234 S. Figueroa. Also 204 NORTH FREMONT. 30

TO LET—A SUITE OF FIVE FRONT rooms now occupied by Dr. White, dentist, will be vacant October 1. Call or address 219 S. HILL. 29

TO LET — NEWLY FURNISHED ROOMS, $1.50 per week and up; housekeeping privileges; electricity and gas. 780 CENTRAL AVE. 30

TO LET — AT HOTEL VENDOME, FURnished rooms, single or en suite, with or without bath; good location. 231 S. HILL ST. 30

TO LET—4 SUNNY ROOMS, FURNISHED, pantry and bathroom, with gas heater; adults only. Apply at 209 W. JEFFERSON ST.

TO LET—FURNISHED, $10; TWO ROOMS for housekeeping, gas stove, bath, lawn and flowers. 962 GIRARD; Traction or Pico car. 29

TO LET—SUITE TWO NICELY FURNISHED front rooms; suitable for three ladies; light housekeeping; close in; $18. 529 TEMPLE ST. 29

TO LET—$25 3 ROOMS FOR HOUSEKEEPing, completely furnished; new, modern; close in; no car fare. 204 N. FREMONT ST.

TO LET—SUITE OF SUNNY ROOMS IN DRY cement basement; partly furnished for housekeeping; rent very reasonable. 1153 S. HOPE. 29

TO LET — NICELY FURNISHED ROOMS, fine location, close in; one suite with private bath. 939 S. BROADWAY. Call Monday. 29

TO LET—2 LARGE ROOMS, PARTLY FURnished for light housekeeping, with use of 'phone and bath. 538 W. TENTH. 1

TO LET — 3 FURNISHED ROOMS FOR housekeeping, with gas range and bath. 207 N. CHICAGO ST., Boyle Heights. 30

TO LET—TWO NICELY FURNISHED rooms for light housekeeping, or larger single room. 136 S. GRAND AVE. 29

TO LET—$25; 3 ROOMS, HOUSEKEEPING; gas range; new, elegant, modern; no car fare. 234 S. FIGUEROA ST. 29

TO LET—COMPLETELY FURNISHED ROOM with bath, close in; gentlemen only. 254 CLAY ST., near Fourth and Hill.

TO LET—THREE SUNNY, UNFURNISHED housekeeping rooms, and bath. 1039 S. FLOWER. No children. 29

TO LET — FURNISHED ROOM, GROUND floor; on hill; no car fare; gentlemen preferred. 134 N. FIGUEROA.

TO LET—3 LARGE SUNNY ROOMS FOR housekeeping; adults preferred. Call afternoons. 1308 MAPLE AVE. 1

TO LET—TWO VERY NICELY FURNISHed front rooms, single or en suite. 518½ S. OLIVE. Call Monday. 29

TO LET — $15; 2 MODERN FURNISHED housekeeping rooms, walking distance. 307 S. BOYLSTON. Adults. 29

TO LET—NICE SUNNY SUITE, PRIVATE bath, instantaneous heater; also single rooms. 535 S. SPRING. 29

TO LET—4 NICELY FURNISHED, COMplete for housekeeping, with private bath. 614 S. HOPE ST.

TO LET—UNFURNISHED OR FURNISHED rooms for light housekeeping. 321½ S. MAIN.

TO LET — ROOMS FOR HOUSEKEEPING and transient. THE KOHLER, 1302 E. Seventh.

TO LET — FRONT ROOM, NICELY FURnished, new and very close in. 332 S. OLIVE.

TO LET — COMPLETELY FURNISHED housekeeping apartments. 1025 S. FLOWER.

TO LET—A FURNISHED FRONT SUITE, with bath, for housekeeping. 1129 S. HILL.

TO LET — TWO NEWLY FURNISHED rooms, bath, 'phone. 810 S. GRAND.

TO LET—VERY DESIRABLE FRONT ROOM in private family. 1356 S. FLOWER.

TO LET—3 FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING rooms, $9; no children. 422 S. HOPE.

TO LET—ROOMS, FURNISHED, SUITE, Corner Fifth, 402½ BROADWAY.

TO LET—FURNISHED FRONT CHAMBER, gas, grate, bath. 322 TEMPLE ST.

TO LET—VERY DESIRABLE HOUSEKEEPing rooms at 223 N. SPRING.

TO LET—3 UNFURNISHED BEDROOMS. 1016½ W. FIRST ST.

TO LET—ROOMS, $1 AND $2 A WEEK. 1/2 CENTRAL AVE.

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOMS FOR ... 737 LAKE ST.

TO LET—
Flats.

TO LET—ELEGANT NEW, MODERN FLATS.
$30—1016 W. First, 5 rooms.
$30—910 W. First, 4 rooms.
$30—1106 Diamond st., 5 rooms.
$30—1108 Diamond st., 5 rooms.
$30—1113 Diamond st., 5 rooms.
$30—1117 Diamond st., 5 rooms.
$15—3 rooms, 204 N. Fremont.
$15—3 rooms, 234 S. Figueroa.
$25—3 rooms, 232½ S. Figueroa.
30 WIESENDANGER, 228 Laughlin Bldg.

TO LET—HANDSOMELY FURNISHED modern 7-room flat, every necessary convenience, gas and electricity, instantaneous heater, gas range, linen, Haviland china, silverware, phone and piano; large yard, lawn and flowers; no children; $75 per month, or furnishings may be purchased. 915 S. HOPE. Call afternoons only.

TO LET — HOUSES AND FLATS, FURnished and unfurnished; best locations; large list to select from. Come to us and be suited, save time and money. List your rental property with us, get quick results. H. W. NIXON, RENTAL DEPARTMENT, 206 W. Fourth st., lower floor.

TO LET—1404 REID, PICO HEIGHTS, ... new two-story flat house, the lower flat furnished new, $25; living-rooms very sunny all day; have fine tenant upstairs; fine neighborhood; best water; references. W... SON.

TO LET—FLAT OF 4 ROOMS, BATH, gas range attached to hot water boiler, grate and bay windows in all the rooms; large reception hall; reasonable to people without children. Apply 524 W. PICO ST.

TO LET—A NEW, COSY 4-ROOM MODERN flat, with porcelain bath, pantry, ... closets, close in; furniture new and complete for sale, $275. Call at once. ... CROCKER ST.

TO LET—4-ROOM FLAT, BATH; RENT ... to parties buying furniture; all new, ... gas range, oil paintings, etc. Rent free ... sold to two adults. Call quick; ... BROADWAY.

TO LET—UNFURNISHED, SMALL FLAT, cheap rent; walking distance to business, gas, use of bath, hot water. Apply ... COURT ST., corner Hope. No children.

TO LET—NEW 5-ROOM FLAT UNFURnished; also 5-room flat furnished, all new, $25 each. Call after Sunday. ... ST., between 8th and 9th, off Figueroa.

TO LET — 3 AND 4-ROOM TERRACE, press brick and brownstone front, ... finer in city; rents reasonable. 'Phone ... 560. DOUGLAS, 301 Grant Bldg.

TO LET—FLAT OF FIVE ROOMS, ... lain bath, hot and cold water, gas heater; rent $20 per month, water paid. ... E. FIRST, Boyle Heights.

TO LET—NEW, MODERN FLAT, ... elegant, gas range; no car fare. ... in. 1016 W. FIRST. Also 1106 ... MOND ST.

TO LET—$14, NEW, MODERN, ... unfurnished, hot water; $25, furnished completely, 234 S. FIGUEROA. Also ... FREMONT.

TO LET—SIX-ROOM FLAT, W. ... close to Broadway; furniture for sale, own price today. BICE & KEYES, ... Spring.

TO LET—TWO 5-ROOM NEW FLATS, including gas range, etc., at 107-107½ ... mont. BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN, ... las Bldg.

TO LET—FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED, prettiest and best 5 or 6-room flat in Los Angeles; reasonable rent. Apply ... ST.

TO LET — 3 ROOMS, NEW, ... elegant; gas range; housekeeping; no car fare. 204 N. FREMONT ST.

TO LET—4-ROOM MODERN FLAT, ... Hope; rent $25, water paid. Inquire ... 20TH ST. Home phone 6197.

TO LET—$15; 3 ROOMS, HOUSEKEEPING, modern, new, elegant, gas range, no car fare. 234 S. FIGUEROA.

TO LET—3 HANDSOMELY FURNISHED flats, close to Westlake Park. 2017A ORANGE ST.

TO LET—A FLAT OF 3 LARGE ROOMS, nicely furnished, modern, $20 per month. 1444 W. 23D.

TO LET — FURNISHED FLAT, GAS AND bath, $20 per month. 645 CROCKER ST., vacant October 1.

TO LET—FURNISHED 4-ROOM FLAT, ... Georgia st. Inquire 1012 W. 10TH. Pico 5033.

TO LET—TWO NEW 5-ROOM FLATS, modern, close in; adults. Inquire ... FIGUEROA.

TO LET—MODERN FLAT; FURNITURE for sale, new, close in. 514½ W. ...

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TO LET — IN BEAUTIFUL HOME, elegantly furnished sunny room, with first-class table board; lowest rates for elegant private home, in select neighborhood; piano, reception room, parlor, bath, 'phone, ... and nice lawn; references. Call 1... S. HOPE.

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TO LET—LARGE FRONT ALCOVE ROOM, two large closets, suitable for three; ... front parlor; bath, telephone; good table. 1018 S. GRAND.

TO LET — NICELY FURNISHED ROOM with board for two, in private family; all modern conveniences. 1251½ S. FLOWER. Home 5490.

TO LET—SUNNY ROOM WITH BOARD, ... gentleman, all conveniences of a ... home, 1437 S. FLOWER, near 15th st. ... Hope 5063.

TO LET—PRIVATE HOME, ALL CONVENiences, fine location, very desirable rooms, excellent board. 1344 S. GRAND AVE.

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TO LET—ROOMS AND BOARD, NEW, comfortable home, good table; plenty hot water; bath, heat. 725 W. 19TH.

TO LET—NEAR WESTLAKE, ... rooms, excellent table board. The ... BRAE, 717 S. Alvarado.

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TO LET—

Rooms.

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LET — $15; 1 MODERN FURNISHED housekeeping rooms, walking distance. 327 BOYLSTON. Adults. 29

LET—NICE SUNNY SUITE, PRIVATE th, instantaneous heater; also single me. 835 S. SPRING. 29

LET—4 NICELY FURNISHED, COM- ts for housekeeping, with private bath. 8. HOPE ST. 29

LET—UNFURNISHED OR FURNISHED ms for light housekeeping. 251½ S. AIN. 29

LET — ROOMS FOR HOUSEKEEPING d transient. THE KOHLER, 1262 E. Rev- oth. 29

LET — FRONT ROOM, NICELY FUR- shed, new and very close in. 322 S. OLIVE. 30

LET — COMPLETELY FURNISHED ousekeeping apartments. 1085 S. FLOWER. 30

LET—A FURNISHED FRONT SUITE, th bath, for housekeeping. 1129 S. HILL. 1

LET — TWO NEWLY FURNISHED oms, bath, 'phone. 836 S. GRAND. 1

LET—VERY DESIRABLE FRONT ROOM private family. 1258 S. FLOWER. 29

LET—3 FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING oms, 9; no children. 622 S. HOPE. 30

LET—ROOMS, FURNISHED, SUITES, ner Fifth. 427½ BROADWAY. 1

LET—FURNISHED FRONT CHAMBER, e, grate, bath. 322 TEMPLE ST. 29

LET—VERY DESIRABLE HOUSEKEEP- g rooms at 223 N. SPRING. 30

LET—3 UNFURNISHED BEDROOMS, 416½ W. FIRST ST. 1

LET—ROOMS, $1 AND $1.5 A WEEK. 12 CENTRAL AVE. 1

LET—FURNISHED ROOMS FOR RENT, 27 LAKE ST. 29

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LET—ELEGANT NEW, MODERN FLATS, 1003 W. First, 5 rooms. 1006 W. First, 5 rooms. 1116 Diamond st., 5 rooms. 1118 Diamond st., 6 rooms. 1120 Diamond st., 5 rooms. 1127 Diamond st., 5 rooms. 1 rooms, 304 N. Fremont. 2 rooms, 324 S. Figueroa. 3 rooms, 329 S. Figueroa. WIESENDANGER, 228 Laughlin Block.

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LET — HOUSES AND FLATS, FUR- shed and unfurnished; best locations; best ot to select from. Come to us and get ated, save time and money. List your ental property with us, get quick results. H. W. HIXON, RENTAL DEPARTMENT, 1 W. First. Main 1476. Home 1476. 1

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LET—FLAT OF 4 ROOMS, BATH AND ange attached to hot water boiler, and gas nd by windows in all the rooms; large hall- ction hall; reasonable to people without hildren. Apply 324 W. PICO ST. 1

LET—A NEW, COZY 4-ROOM MODERN lat, with porcelain bath, pantry, porch, closets, close in; furniture new and com- lete for sale, $275. Call at once, 132 HOCKER ST. 29

LET—4-ROOM FLAT, BATH; RENT $ parties buying furniture; all new. Just ge ranges, oil paintings, etc. Rent free f sold in two adults. Call quick; 329½ M BROADWAY. 1

LET—UNFURNISHED, SMALL FLAT, heap rent; walking distance to business ne of bath. Best of water. Apply 1 OURT ST., corner Hope. No children. 29

LET—NEW 5-ROOM FLAT UNFUR- shed; also 5-room flat furnished, all modern ern; $20-$25 month. Call after Sunday, 929 LINCOLN ST., between 8th and 9th, off Figueroa. 29

LET — 2 AND 4-ROOM TERRACE ouses, brick and brownstone front, nothing ear in city; rents reasonable. Phone Home DOUGLAS, 201 Grant Bldg. 29

LET—FLAT OF FIVE ROOMS, FOR- ain bath, hot and cold water, gas, set- rent; rent $20 per month, water paid. 29 LET Boyle Heights. 29

LET—NEW, MODERN FLAT, 5 ROOM- ed; gas range, no car fare; rent $25. 1036 W. FIRST. Also 1105 W. 3 SECOND ST. 29

LET—NEW, MODERN, 5 ROOMS, bath, hot water; $25, furnished or unfur- nished. 234 S. FIGUEROA. Also 204 NORTH FREMONT. 1

LET—SIX-ROOM FLAT, W. NINTH, close to Broadway; furniture for sale; rent given price today. RICE & KEYES, 501 S. Spring. 1

LET—TWO 5-ROOM NEW FLATS, 154 chuing gas range, etc., at 167-167½ N. Fre- mont. BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN, 440 Douglas Building. 1

LET—FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED, practical and best 5 or 6-room flats in Los Angeles; reasonable rent. Apply 116 W. 8TH ST. 29

LET — 3 ROOMS, NEW, MODERN, elegant; gas range; $20. 204½ N. FREMONT ST. Home phone 6197. 29

LET—6-ROOM MODERN FLAT AT 1455 E. Hope; rent $25; water paid. Inquire 79 W. 28TH ST. Home phone 6197. 29

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LET—5 HANDSOMELY FURNISHED flats, close to Westlake Park. all new. 1037A ORANGE ST. 1

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LET—FURNISHED 4-ROOM FLAT; pho- Inquire at Inquire 1012 W. 10TH. 29

LET—TWO NEW 5-ROOM FLATS, MOD- ern, close in; adults. Inquire 746 S. FIG- UEROA. 1

LET—MODERN FLAT; FURNITURE for sale, new, close in. 514½ W. 2ND. 1

Liners.

TO LET—

Houses.

TO LET—$25 A MONTH, NO. 1416 SUNSET boulevard; house new and modern; 5 rooms; you can buy on same terms, $25 down and $25 a month, which includes interest; price $2,500; you cannot rent as good a house same distance out, 10 minutes' ride from First and Spring, for less than $40. ALLISON BAR- LOW, 227 S. Broadway, room 126. 'Phones Main 422. Home 422. 29

TO LET—UNFURNISHED 4-ROOM COT- tage; screen porch, bath, electricity, gas stove for cooking, large yard with barn, wa- ter paid; $20 per month. Adults only. 746 S. FLOWER. 'Phone Red 6072. 29

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TO LET—WE HAVE MANY NEW HOUSES FOR SALE, SMALL PAYMENT DOWN, BALANCE LIKE RENT. BARRY & EN- LOW, 127 W. FOURTH ST.

TO LET—1144-1146 E. 11TH, 4-ROOM HOUSE, $20; 6-room house, $25; water paid; both new, modern; good neighborhood. DE ROGER, 205 Douglas Bldg. 29

TO LET—CLOSE IN, NICE 2-STORY, 5-ROOM house, $25. 814 W. FIFTH, near Figueroa. Go via Sixth or tunnel. Just what you want.

TO LET—OCTOBER 1, 2 OR 4-ROOM COT- tage, in rear of 808 S. Hill st. BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN, 440 Douglas Bldg. 2

TO LET—4 ROOM HOUSE IN REAR OF 128 Stewart st. $4.50, with water. Inquire at 331 STEWART ST. 29

TO LET—$7; COTTAGE, 5 LARGE ROOMS, including barn and water. 237 N. FIG- UEROA. 29

TO LET—MODERN 5-ROOM COTTAGE AND carpets for sale. 1134 E. 21ST ST. 30

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TO LET—MODERN 8-ROOM HOUSE, COM- pletely furnished; piano, barn, chicken yard; will lease for 6 months or 1 year. 734 E. AD- AMS ST. 'Phone Pico 4062. 30

TO LET — COMPLETELY FURNISHED 5- room cottage, gas, bath, $20. Key 1214 W. 8TH. University car. 2

TO LET—SUNNY SIDE OF LARGE HOUSE, completely furnished, 4 rooms, large yard. 1 MAPLE AVE. 1

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TO LET—3 OFFICE ROOMS, EN suite, second floor, 129 Temple street, go and see them. HENDERSON-STEPPER CO., 125-134 Trust Bldg. Second and Spring. 30

TO LET — 10 NEW ROOMS, ELEGANTLY finished, with all new furniture; price $2 per week and up. 1016 E. SEVENTH ST., near Ceres ave. 29

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TO LET — NICELY FURNISHED 10-ROOM house, large lawn, close in, every room light. 1701 S. HOPE. 29

TO LET — CORNER OFFICE ROOM AND sleeping apartment, suites, furnished. Cor- ner Fifth, 453½ BROADWAY. 1

TO LET—TWO LARGE OFFICE ROOMS for dentistry or doctors; rent reasonable. Inquire 1240 S. FIGUEROA. 5

FOR RENT—MODERN STORE, 40x80 FT., in Spring st. bet. Fifth and Sixth sts. Ap- ply 407 S. SPRING. 30

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FOR SALE—

Houses.

FOR SALE—SPECIAL AT ONLY $2650, WE ARE OFFERING AT $200 LESS IN VALUE. A SPECIAL BARGAIN IN A CLOSE-IN, NEARLY NEW, 7-ROOM, 1½-STORY HOUSE, ON 21ST ST., WEST OF SAN PEDRO ST.; 56 FT. LOT; HOUSE CON- NECTED WITH SEWER; 2 FINE LARGE BEDROOMS BESIDES SEWING ROOM ON SECOND FLOOR; ONLY 9 MINUTES DOWNTOWN ON SAN PEDRO ST. OR MAPLE AVE. CAR. IF YOU WANT A BARGAIN, SEE THIS. SEE THIS FINE PROPERTY, ONLY $2550. ERKEN- BRECHER SYNDICATE (LTD.) 301 CUR- RIER BLDG. MEMBERS L. A. REALTY BOARD. 'PHONES MAIN 1377. HOME 1377. 9

FOR SALE—$2200, $500 CASH, WILL BUY a beautiful 5-room new modern cottage; lot 40x128; large reception hall, large pantry, fine china closet, mantel, bathroom, tinted walls, wired for electricity; street work all done and paid; 3 very desirable location, southwest, near car line; but don't delay if you want it; a bargain sure. HILLMAN, 218 S. Broadway. 29

FOR SALE—$2200; 5-ROOM NEW, MODERN cottage, lot 42x190; porcelain bath, hot wa- ter, electric light, 1714 Reid st., $25 month- ly. WIESENDANGER, 228 Laughlin Bldg. 29

FOR SALE—

Houses.

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We have for sale the following cottages; You will find, upon investigation, that the figure quoted, in each case, is much lower than actual value and much lower than surrounding properties.

Nearly new, 5-room cottage, E. Adams st., within 1½ blocks of car line; finest street east of Main; price only $2000; easily worth $2500.

5-room cottage, 3 years old, on 11th st., close in; this is an 18-foot corner lot within one block of 2 car lines, and is eas- ily worth $50 more than the price asked; only $2300; one of the best buys in Los An- geles today.

New, 5-room cottage, southwest, near W. Adams st.; lot 50x150 feet; house faces east and contains every modern convenience; rooms beautifully arranged; a bargain at $2500.

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ALL STREET WORK DONE.

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There may be some good buys in houses offered for sale in today's papers, but not one is so truly a bargain as this to which I now call your attention.

The location is right. It faces east, on Toberman st., which is 120 feet wide; house has eight rooms besides halls, bath and closets; there are two fireplaces, with very artistic mantels; coved ceilings, decorated; large porch; gas and electricity; barn; the neighborhood is excellent; convenient to several lines of cars.

Price $3,400.

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FOR SALE— $2300—New 5-room cottage, combination gas and electric fixtures, porcelain bath, coved ceilings, finely tinted walls, close to school and car line; good neighborhood; all street improvements in and paid; easy terms.

$ 2,300—5-room cottage, lot 40x140, pantry, bath, toilet, screen porch, fruit and shade trees, barn; $500 cash, balance to suit.

$2500—6-room modern cottage, exceptionally well built and finely finished; every conveni- ence; close to car line and school; terms.

$1500—New 5-room modern cottage, gas, bath, all latest improvements, street im- provements in and paid; $500 cash, balance $15 monthly.

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$2200—Buys a new 6-room cottage on car line, rented for $21 a month; a good invest- ment.

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FOR SALE— $2900—6-room modern cottage, N. Hill st. $2750—6-room modern cottage, W. 11th st. $2500—5-room house, E. Washington, hot and cold water, gas and electricity, porce- lain bath. $2300—6-room new modern cottage, Oak st. $2200—6-room modern cottage, E. 39th near Central ave. $2000—5-room cottage, S. Union. $1850—7-room house, N. Bunker Hill. $1600—9-room house, Orange st., lot 60x120 to alley. $1200—6-room new modern furnished cot- tage, W. 37th; a good buy.

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OSCAR B. SMITH, 219 W. Fifth st.

FOR SALE—A BEAUTIFUL 5-ROOM COT- tage, less than 2 years old; electric lights, gas, sewer, lot 50x125 feet to alley; fine lawn, located close in, south of W. Pico st.; price $2800; easy terms; lots on opposite side of street are selling for $2000. MAGNER & SMOCK, 411 Grant Bldg., corner Fourth and Broadway. 29

FOR SALE—

Houses.

FOR SALE— A STRIKING CHANCE IN THE WEST- LAKE DISTRICT.

$4000—Westlake district, a very pretty home of 7 rooms; Oregon pine finish; lot lies 2 feet above level of the sidewalk; you can- not buy a lot on the block less than $3500; Burlington ave. near W. Ninth.

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LEONARD MERRILL, 417-418 Douglas Bldg. Member Realty Board. 29

FOR SALE— $1200—4-room cottage near Washington and Vermont, lot 50x150.

$ 3,300—6 rooms, modern, 55th near Central.

$1800—6 rooms, mode rn, 55th near Central.

$2800—6 rooms ,modern, 55th near Central; easy terms.

$4,000—5-room ats, Ruth ave., rents $50 per month.

$ 5,500—An elegant 10-room home, Highland Park.

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FOR SALE— $2500—Buys large 9-room 2-story house, 10 blocks west of Second and Broadway.

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$4750—Large 9-room 2-story house near 25th and Grand ave.

$2600—Neat 7-room house on corner lot, 70x 160; near Harvard School and Nevin tract.

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$2850—6-room new modern 2-story house, $350 down, E. 23d st.

$2500—5-room new modern cottage, 8 min- utes from Spring st., $250 down.

OSCAR B. SMITH, 225 W. Fifth st.

FOR SALE—IF YOU WANT A HOME OR investment, why don't you buy this? A nice modern cottage, 5 rooms and reception hall, good lot, well located, southwest, between two car lines; price $1800, $935 cash and $13 per month; interest included; will rent for $15 per month; owner is sacrificing as he wishes to return East October 1. MAGNER & SMOCK, 411 Grant Bldg., corner Fourth and Broadway. 29

FOR SALE—ON WASHINGTON ST. NEAR Toberman, a new, modern 5-room house, good barn, large lot, size 187, all improve- ments and conveniences; price $3300; price made to make immediate sale; part cash, balance to suit. This is a bargain in every sense and worth immediate investigation. HERBERT PEERY, 204 Laughlin Bldg. 30

FOR SALE—I HAVE TWO NEW 3 AND 4- room cottages on S. Los Angeles st., just south of Washington, which I will sell for $1500 each; terms to suit; the cottages are well worth $1700 and cannot be duplicated under this price; the property in vicinity is rapidly advancing in value. See me at once. HERBERT PEERY, 204 Laughlin Bldg. 4

FOR SALE— Good 9-room house, large lot, with 3-story barn, just off W. Adams st., in choice neighborhood; opposite $80,000 residence; we are authorized to sell this place for $13500— GURLICK & SAUNDERS, 128 S. Broad- way. 29

FOR SALE—COTTAGES (COM. TO AGTS.) $700—$400 cash, cheap house, fine lot, E. 54th. $1300—$700 cash, new, 5 rooms, E. 36th. $1300—$600 cash, new, 5 rooms, E. 32d. $1350—$700 cash, new, 5 rooms, W. 37th. OWNER, 305 Copp Bldg. Tel. John 4561.

FOR SALE—$2900; FOR THIS WEEK ONLY; CASH; 5 lots, 50x150; modern 5-room cottage, brick cellar, bath, hot water, 65 navel or- ange and lemon trees, barn, corrals, walks, graded streets, near Salt Lake Depot and new electric line; this is in Glendale and a cor- ner. 1110 SAN JULIAN. 29

FOR SALE—$50 CASH, $20 MONTHLY. $800—Fine lot, board house, E. 54th. $1250—7 rooms, big lot, Hollywood. $1650—5 rooms, new, W. 27th. Wm. Mandile. $1750—5 rooms, E. 25th, Adams-st. tract. BARSCHIG, 305 Copp Bldg. Home 2230. 29

FOR SALE—$4900; 1-ACRE LOT, ALL planted to fruit trees, fenced for chickens; new 6-room modern cottage; large barn, chicken corrals, etc. City water, also windmill water piped all over place. Ver- non ave., near Avalon. W. A. JOHNSON & CO., 109 S. Broadway. 29

FOR SALE — NEW, MODERN COTTAGES, gas, electricity, sewer, graded and sprinkled streets; every convenience; 4, 5 and 6 rooms each; 2 new, 2 ready for tenants; best for investment or home; very easy terms. R. D. LIST, 313 Tajo Bldg., First and Broad- way. 'Phone Exchange 225. Round trip 5c.

FOR SALE—HOME AND INVESTMENT; 120-foot frontage, W. Adams-street section, vicinity Log Cabin, with two modern 6-room cottages; one never occupied; other rented $25; price $6250. Inquire owner's terms, 2041 BRIGHTON AVE.

FOR SALE— 9-room house, 1264 W. 20th st. 10-room house, 2923 Menlo ave. 9-room house, 1254 W. 27th st. 10-room house and 200 feet on West Adams st., OWNER, 204 Trust Bldg. 4

FOR SALE—7-ROOM HOUSE, IN GOOD CON- dition, pressed brick mantel, porcelain bath, marble washbowl, brick cellar; lawn, trees; nice location; place just west of Main st., not far from Jefferson. Price $2900, $500 cash. O. SASSAMAN, 3209 S. Main.

FOR SALE — 9 ROOMS, HARDWOOD floors; lot 100x150 to alley; flowers, fruit and shade trees; house built new, in good shape; nearest bid to $3000 taken; 1 block from street and barn. Address C, box 78, TIMES OFFICE. 29

FOR SALE—HOUSE OF 6 ROOMS AND bath lot, south of Westlake Park on high ground, all completely furnished, now rented to careful, reliable tenant for 1 year; for terms and all particulars see M'GARVIN & BRONSON CO., 229½ S. Spring st. 29

FOR SALE—$1000, $2600— Cheap, 6 rooms, 2-story house, 50- foot lot, lawn, shrubbery, flowers; this beau- tiful home must be sacrificed on account of failing health; southwest. J. C. OLIVER, 118 S. Broadway, room 218.

FOR SALE—$2100; NEW 5-ROOM MODERN cottage, porcelain bath, hot water boiler, electric light fixtures, tinted, Oregon pine finish, 1427½ MONTANA ST.; 1 block car; car to 1796 Normandie street; WIESENDAN- GER, 228 Laughlin Block. 29

FOR SALE—AT PASADENA, 5-ROOM COT- tage; fine location; easy man; price $2900; $250 down, balance $20 per month. Lincoln ave. Address or call on MRS. A. R. MARSHALL, No. 5 Temple Court, Los Angeles.

FOR SALE—6-ROOM CALIFORNIA HOUSE, with lot 56x140; on one of the best streets, southwestern district; snap; $1800; easy terms, $500 cash, balance $25 month. MARKS & CO., 108 W. 3d. 29

FOR SALE — $1750; CASH, $20 PER month, 5-room cottage, new, never occupied, bath, hot and cold water, patent closet, lot fenced, No. 1026 E. 57th. EDWARD C. CRIBB, owner, 218 Broadway. 3

FOR SALE—GENUINE BARGAIN; THE 6- room cottage, 1032 E. 45th st., first house west of Central ave.; also the adjoining lot. WATSON & CO., 322 Trust Bldg. Both 'phones. 29

FOR SALE—8-ROOM HOUSE $750 10 rooms, rent $40, $550. 16 rooms, boarding house, rent $75, $650. 29 J. MYERS, 219 Copp Bldg.

FOR SALE—$2500 IN HIGHLAND PARK, ON beautiful Monte Vista st., new 7-room house, easy terms. WM. N. HOLWAY, 220 Grant Bldg. Com. to agents. 30

FOR SALE—AN IDEAL 6-ROOM COTTAGE; large lot, walking distance; will sell cheap as must make family East. Address C, box 77, TIMES OFFICE. 29

FOR SALE—$500; 5-ROOM HOUSE; LOT 50x140; fruit, flowers, nice home. Addr o or apply to BURKE, Ivy ave., Cal.

FOR SALE, JUST FINISHED, $2000, NEW 5-room house on 20th st., near Maple. WM. N. HOLWAY, 220 GRANT BLDG. 30

FOR SALE—FINE HOME. A BARGAIN; TERMS. ROBERTS LAND CO. 218 W. 4TH

FOR SALE—

City Lots and Lands.

FOR SALE—CORNER LOTS, GOLF PARK, S.E. corner 16th and Normandie, 6x125, $750; S.W. corner, 78x125, $950; S.E. corner 16th and Roosevelt, 65x126, $1000; S.W. corner, 48x126, $1000; S.E. corner 16th and Lenox, 45x 126, $1000; S.W. corner, 97 feet front, $1000; N.E. corner Lenox and Washington, 84x150, $3500; this corner is good enough for a $20,000 residence; N.E. corner Roosevelt and Washington, 60x150, $2000; N.W. corner Wash- ington and Normandie, 64x130, $1250; also 2 E. corner Normandie and Washington, 64x118, $1500; S.E. corner, 64x118, $1500; these corners are all in the choicest residence street, side- southwest; great bargains and each one will become a very valuable piece of property; you can buy 100 feet front with each corner. 10 WIESENDANGER, 228 Laughlin Bldg.

FOR SALE—ELEGANT LOT, 54x140 TO alley, located southwest on Vermont ave.; accessible to four car lines; lot lays very level about two feet above the street; side- walk and curb in and paid for; fronts east and is cheap at $1250, but owner lives East and wants money and tells us to sell at $1050. Who speaks first?

M'GARVIN & BRONSON CO., 229½ S. Spring st. 29

FOR SALE—

City Lots and Lands.

FOR SALE— "If We Advertise It, It's so."

PALM PLACE PALM PLACE PALM PLACE

The choicest residence tract in the city.

Located in the heart of the Westlake district.

Bounded by Alvarado, 11th, Hoover and Pico Streets.

Street work, including gravelling with Ca- huenga cement gravel, combination cement curb and gutter, and broad cement walks, sewers, water and gas all completed and paid for, including connections to the prop- erty line and work done under the super- vision and approval of the city authorities.

Every lot lies at just the proper grade above the side walk.

They have been graded and placed in readiness for building.

The Alvarado Street frontage is laid off in 70-foot lots.

The alignment clause on this street is 40 feet back from the side walk.

Think what this means!

On Lake street, the frontage is laid off in 60-foot lots.

The alignment clause is 30 feet.

On Grand View Street, the frontage is laid off in 60-foot lots.

The alignment clause is 25 feet.

Building restrictions on all streets ranging from $4,000 up.

No cottages, stores, flats, livery stables, or anything that would be calculated to de- preciate the value of the property.

Property is sold on terms of one-third cash, balance in one and two years, inter- est 6 per cent net.

The streets are aligned with stately palm trees, some of them being 25 to 30 years of age. The entrances are ornamented with massive stone pillars with the name of the tract cut in raised panels.

The street car facilities are excellent and there is every probability of a line being built on Eleventh street.

Taken all together—location, improve- ments, surroundings and prices—the Palm Place tract is placed on the market with the absolute knowledge that there is noth- ing in the city of Los Angeles that can com- pare with it. Conservative investors are already securing lots and there are a num- ber of fine houses planned for immediate construction.

Maps, prices and full particulars at our office.

EDWARD D. SILENT & CO., Sole Agents. Member L. A. Realty Board. Est. 1885. 214-218 West Second st.

FOR SALE— —VERNON— —PARK— 200 —RESIDENCE— 200 —LOTS— LOCATED ON VERNON AVE., 67TH, 68TH, 67TH, 68TH AND 21ST STS. ALL STREET IMPROVE- MENTS TO BE MADE FREE OF COST TO PUR- CHASER. —WE— PROPOSE TO MAKE VER- NON PARK THE MOST DESIRABLE RESIDENCE TRACT IN ALL THE CEN- TRAL AVENUE SECTION. THE LOWEST PRICES. EASIEST PAYMENTS. FROM $250— $400— EVERY LOT COVERED WITH FINE FRUIT, SHADE TREES, BERRIES, AND IN GARDEN BUILDING RESTRICTIONS. NO SALOONS. NO SHANTIES. —VERNON— —PARK— The loveliest of them all, where orange and lemon trees, hedges, flowers, fruit and ornamental plants and trees grow to perfection. Many now growing that are 25 years old; one tree alone worth the price of a lot. Vernon Park has a fine car building line; no shanties or saloons; our standard of re- strictions to maintain the highest standard; 10 cents fare; overflow; rich loam soil; no adobe; no undesirable neigh- bors; rapid transportation; to public schools and halls; churches, stores, electric lights, telephone, police and fire protection; every con- venience at hand; cross- town line for Vernon and Compton-avenue lines, Long Beach line and Central-ave. line; quick transportation; 5- cent fare service. Lots are be- ing taken fast by active home builders. Don't delay; go out today. Our new map will soon be out, showing the entire subdivision of Vernon Park. Contract for all improvements to be let next week. Something is going to happen out there— better go out today and look it over. Take Vernon cars at Second and Spring to our branch office, on the corner of 46th and Central ave. Agents to show the property at all times. For full in- formation see GRIDER & HAMILTON, 223 W. Second st. Vernon Park

FOR SALE—LOTS— $15.00 cash and $15 a month buys a $600 lot on Hollywood car line, Angelino Heights; 10 minutes' ride from First and Spring.

$15.00 cash and $13 a month buys lot 30 or 32, block 16, Angelino Heights; price $450 each.

$15.00 cash and $13 a month buys a $500 lot on North 44th Sheridan st., between Cornwell and St. Louis sts.

$10.00 cash and $10 month buys $360 lot in De Soto Heights tract, about 10 min- utes' ride on bicycle to new Southern Pacific car shops. No interest charged. By commencing this way you will soon be able to own your own home, or you may do like some speculators, keep the lot five or six months, sell and make a good profit.

ALLISON BARLOW, 217 S. Broadway, room 126.

FOR SALE— LOTS — LOTS. On Adair st., close to 36th, 40x130, $400 and $425.

On Trinity, close to 36th st.; 50x130, $475 and $500.

On Woodlawn ave., 50x145¼ to an alley, $600.

On New Main st., 30x140 to an alley, $300.

These lots are for sale on easy terms; small payment down, balance either monthly or yearly; with 7 per cent. interest.

O. SASSAMAN, corner Main and Jeffer- son, or corner 40th and New Main. 'Phone Pico 6921. Home 5043.

FOR SALE—I HAVE ON FIGUEROA ST. this side of Washington st., 50x155 to al- ley lot, suitable

Liners.

FOR SALE—
Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—
EIGHT PIANOS.
DAMAGED IN TRANSIT.
In a car of elegant pianos which were ordered for our new store, we find eight that were badly marred and injured (in the cases only.) As we do not wish to open our new warerooms with anything but perfect goods we shall endeavor to dispose of these instruments at our old store at Seventh and Broadway, immediately. We shall place these damaged instruments on sale tomorrow morning and hope to dispose of them before our new room is ready. Owing to the several delays in the changes necessary for our new wareroom we shall not be able to occupy it before the 1st of October. Every one of these instruments must be disposed of, and prices will be made to move them at once. Call and get our prices, it will pay you.
H. C. GILBERT PIANO CO.,
Seventh and Broadway.
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FOR SALE—SPECIAL SALE OF WALL paper for 30 days to make room for more stock coming.
Fine, embossed gilts cut from 35c to 12½c; 15c papers cut to 7½c; good papers at 5c and 6½c.
Paperhanging, tinting and painting done on a close margin.
GOODWIN BROS., 622 S. Spring. 'Phones Joseph 6431, Home 2745.

FOR SALE—BUILDING. THE CHURCH BUILDING, NORTHEAST CORNER PICO AND FLOWER STS., FOR REMOVAL. MARSHUTZ OPTICAL CO., 133 S. SPRING.

FOR SALE—ELATERITE ROOFING costs less than shingles; never needs painting; used instead of pitch and gravel, metal tile or slate, the best for roof gardens or warehouse floors; sold on merit and guaranteed. ELATERITE ROOFING CO., 426 Byrne Bldg., cor. Third.

FOR SALE—DOORS AND WINDOWS, NON-combine; new stock; no better in the city; save you money in this department; get our figures on that new house; country orders our specialty. WHITING'S, Ninth and Maple.

FOR SALE — TELEPHONE YOUR WANT ads. Ring up Press One any time of day or night, and The Times will give prompt and careful attention. Rate 1 cent a word each insertion. Minimum charge, 25 cents.

FOR SALE—LADIES' FIRST CLASS TICKet East via Denver, Kansas City, St. Louis; Eyes light, hair dark, size medium; limit October 15. $15 buys now. Address D, BOX 14, TIMES OFFICE. 29

FOR SALE — A. G. GARDNER PIANO House, Limited, handle the best makes of pianos, and are headquarters for low prices. 118 WINSTON ST. 'Phone Brown 1225, and the Home 'phone 3185.

FOR SALE—TWO TICKETS TO OHIO; FEmale; stout, medium, light eyes and hair, elderly; medium height and size, light eyes, dark hair, young. Address C, BOX 46, TIMES OFFICE. 29

FOR SALE—10,000 ORANGE PROPS, 1 INCH by 1¼ inches, from 6 to 10 feet long; new, tarred on one end, and in good condition; sawed from clear lumber. D. M. FARGO, San Gabriel, Cal.

FOR SALE—LADY SACRIFICE HER MAGnificent $600 Decker upright piano, almost new; greatest bargain in Los Angeles; leaving city. No. 801 S. BROADWAY, corner Eighth st. 29

FOR SALE—2 TICKETS TO ST. LOUIS FOR lady and gentleman; lady medium, light hair and eyes; gentleman slim, dark hair and eyes; short route. Address C, box 11, TIMES OFFICE. 29

FOR SALE—PARTIES GOING EAST HAVE several suits in good condition for sale cheap; one full-dress suit, 2 cutaways and several sack suits. THE L. A. VALET, 717 South Broadway.

FOR SALE—AN ELEGANT NEW DRESS suit, full silk lined, also elegant black cutaway coat and vest, new, cost me $125, size about 36. Box 76, TIMES OFFICE. 29

FOR SALE—SCREEN DOORS AND WINdows, cut rates, fancy front screen doors, oil finish, $1.25. Come early, these will go quick. WHITING'S, Ninth and Maple.

FOR SALE—FINE PLATE-GLASS SHOWCASES, SUITABLE FOR JEWELERS, DRUGGISTS, OPTICIANS. MARSHUTZ OPTICAL CO., 133 S. SPRING ST.

FOR SALE — SAFES, ALL KINDS AND sizes; prices are right; very reasonable; one second-hand safe, cheap. J. A. STOUTT, 227 W. First st. Green 1989. 3

FOR SALE—BY Y. M. COMPANY,
133 W. FIFTH ST.
Bamboo goods, wholesale and retail.
TEL. GREEN 1828.

FOR SALE — TICKET TO BOSTON OVER Santa Fe, female, medium, dark eyes and hair, $25, limit October 15. Call 312 S. HILL, room E, after 6 p.m. 29

FOR SALE—2 GENTLEMEN'S DARK, MEdium, and one ½ size girl's ticket to Denver, Colo. Address 2718 KENWOOD AVE., between 27th and 29th. 1

FOR SALE — NEW AND SECOND-HAND machinery bought and sold and rented. SOUTHERN WRECKING CO., 261 S. Los Angeles st.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—FINE NEW double action harp; what have you to exchange? Address B, box 54, TIMES OFFICE. 32

FOR SALE—WANTED TO SELL AT ONCE, cheap, 1 gent's ticket to St. Louis, via Burlington. Address D, box 39, TIMES OFFICE. 29

FOR SALE—GASOLINE ENGINE MOUNTed on iron trucks; cheap at $300. Inquire GRANT & BACH, box 198, Santa Paula, Cal. 1

FOR SALE—CHEAP, SHOWCASES, COUNters, shelving, doors and windows. We buy and sell. Ring up James 121. 216 E. Fourth.

FOR SALE—A FEW FINE SECOND-HAND vehicles at bargain prices. PARROTT CARRIAGE MFG. CO., 10th and Main sts.

FOR SALE — CUT RATES ON SPRING wagons, buggies, etc. CARRIAGE WRECKING CO., S.E. cor. Seventh and L. A. sts.

FOR SALE—20 HORSE-POWER GASOLINE engine, as good as new for sale at a bargain. HENRY MFG. CO., 1.8 Bruno st. 2

FOR SALE—GUARANTEED LADIES' TICKet to Chicago; description, dark, short. Call at 217 W. 2nd before 10 o'clock today. 29

FOR SALE—LADY'S FIRST-CLASS TICKet to Detroit or Chicago, slim, dark, short. Address Y, box 65, TIMES OFFICE. 29

FOR SALE—1 LARGE SIZE MONITOR REfrigerator; capacity 100 lbs. 515 PATTON ST., first house north of Temple st. 29

FOR SALE—TWO LADIES' TICKETS TO Denver, short, slim, dark; medium light, cheap. Address G, OCEAN PARK. 29

FOR SALE — NEW AND SECOND-HAND machinery, pipe, bought, sold, rented, exchanged. 267 S. L. A. ST.

FOR SALE — CHEAP, 10,000 FEET ⅜x2¼ choice maple flooring. BRAINERD, 407 Trust Bldg., Second and Spring. 2

FOR SALE—NEW YORK TICKET; medium height, dark hair; reasonable. Address A, BOX 75, TIMES OFFICE. 1

FOR SALE—TICKET TO MISSOURI; MALE; gray hair and eyes. Address D, box 10, TIMES OFFICE. 29

FOR SALE—MALE FIRST-CLASS TICKET to St. Paul, Minn. Address 223 SO. MAIN ST. Room 23.

FOR SALE—CHEAP; SHOW CASES, WALL cases, counters, tables, stools. 329 S. SPRING ST.

FOR SALE 2½ HORSE POWER WESTINGhouse electric motor. J. N. WINNETT, 329 E. 2ND. 30

FOR SALE—LADY TICKET TO DETROIT, dark, medium height, gray. Address 1043½ S. Olive. 30

FOR SALE — FURNITURE OF 6-ROOM flat; everything new. Call at 811 W. 10TH ST. 1

FOR SALE—ONE TICKET TO SALT LAKE; lady, medium, dark. Call 1081 S. FLOWER. 29

FOR SALE—BICYCLE TIRES, $2.50, PUT ON. BURKE BROS., 456 S. Spring st. 3

FOR SALE—FINE UPRIGHT PIANO, CHEAP for cash. 523 S. BROADWAY. 1

FOR SALE—FIRE-PROOF SAFE. 168 CENTRAL AVE., near Second st. 30

FOR SALE—2½ TICKETS TO MINNESOTA, cheap. 1018½ W. FIRST ST. 30

FOR SALE—BARGAIN IN A SODA WATER fountain. 423 N. MAIN.

FOR SALE—CHEAP; BAKER'S SAND oven. 1824 S. MAIN. 29

FOR SALE—
Furniture.

FOR SALE—FURNITURE OF SEVEN-ROOM cottage, close in, on S. Main; furnished complete throughout for housekeeping, including table linen, chinaware, silverware, gas range, etc. CITY REALTY CO., 207½ S. Broadway, room 206.

FOR SALE—ONE LARGE SIZE MONITOR refrigerator, capacity 100 lbs.; one white-enameled dresser and commode; also one finetoned old violin, lady's size. 515 PATTON ST., first house north of Temple st. 29

FOR SALE—FURNITURE OF MODERN 6 rooms; house to rent; 718 Ruth ave.; price of furniture, $145; rent of flat, $20; snap of the day. Key with GODDARD & CO., 508 S. Broadway. 'Phone Peter 3231. 2

FOR SALE—FURNITURE OF 9-ROOM house, all complete, very reasonable for cash. Location and everything convenient. Housekeeping arrangements. Call on owner. 855 S. FLOWER. 29

FOR SALE — FURNITURE OF 10-ROOM house; also lease of place; house newly painted and papered; fine yard, front and back; also barn; bargain; 926 S. HILL ST.

FOR SALE—JEWEL GAS RANGE, FOLDING beds, rugs and other furniture. 553 S. OLIVE.

FOR SALE—PARLOR ORGAN, OAK, KIMball make. Call mornings. 1521 W. 22D ST. 3

FOR SALE—SNAP IN SIX ROOM, VERY fine furniture; nice cottage, very close in. Rooms always rented. Price $550. Rent only $26. BICE & KEYES, 807 S. Spring St. 29

FOR SALE—FURNITURE AND NEW UPright piano of six-room cottage; University line; cottage for rent. Call at ROOM 209, Tajo Bldg., First and Broadway. 29

FOR SALE—$350; ELEGANT FURNITURE 7-room flat, close in; rent $27.50; a bargain. TRACY & LEWIS, 210 Copp Bldg., 218 S. Broadway. 29

FOR SALE—FURNITURE SIX-ROOM FLAT close in; must be sold today. Make us an offer. BICE & KEYES, 807 S. Spring. 29

FOR SALE—GAS RANGE, WITH WATER, bath, oak dresser, table, chairs, etc. 959 OKEY ST., up stairs. 29

FOR SALE—FURNITURE EIGHT ROOMS, complete for housekeeping; house for rent. 1364 S. FIGUEROA. 30

FOR SALE—FURNITURE FOR 6 ROOMS, $225. 602½ E. SIXTH ST. 30

FOR EXCHANGE—
Real Estate.

FOR EXCHANGE — A FINE RESIDENCE property in St. Paul, Minn., which I can't use and will exchange for one down here, either city or suburban, or near-by ranch; mine is stone house of 17 rooms, large brick barn, on over five lots, on good corner, right in line of future business improvements; is rented for $810, which can be increased; mortgaged for $8000, but will clear it off or trade equities. Was appraised by executors, January 1, 1897, at $20,000, but will trade for considerably less value for what I want and can use. T. S. TOMPKINS, 413 Dodworth Bldg., Pasadena.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Eight-room Mission house, Ocean Park, for alfalfa ranch.
10 acres, orange ranch, Pomona.
10 acres, orange ranch, North Riverside.
10 acres, walnuts, Rivera.
20 acres, oranges and lemons, San Dimas.
20 acres, oranges, Covina.
10 acres, oranges, Lordsburg.
40 acres, walnuts and apricots, Fullerton.
20 acres, deciduous fruits, Highland.
Will exchange for Los Angeles property.
M. W. ATWOOD,
2 612 Grant Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—45 ACRES NEAR POMOna, clear, 18 acres in good bearing 10-year old navel and Valencia oranges; 10 acres muscat grapes, 12 acres alfalfa and plow land, 7-room modern house, big barn, unlimited water, $28,000. Will take part or all city property, or will accept mortgage to the extent of $16,000. This is the best bargain in Southern California today. LINDEN LAND CO., 220 Byrne Bldg. 4

FOR EXCHANGE—FOR CITY EQUITY—Glendora, frostless, 10 acres, clear, $1250. Elsinore, 40 acres, coal and clay land, $1000. Nevada, Las Vegas Valley, 160 acres, $800. Ocean Park, cottage, $3300, $1000 equity. Oceanside, San Diego Co., 2 clear lots, $500. Cash com. to agents. What have you? 29 OWNER, 205 Copp Bldg. John 4066.

FOR EXCHANGE—80 ACRES AT GLENdale, clear; all in good bearing oranges and deciduous fruit; good modern 10-room house and other buildings; pumping plant; want city residence; will assumee; pay or accept mortgage; no nicer home in vicinity of Los Angeles. LINDEN LAND CO., 220 Byrne Bldg. 4

FOR EXCHANGE — TWO LOTS, SOUTHwest, one close-in corner, a bunch of 17, northwest, Hollywood way, total value $11,500 mortgage $1500; equity for city or country improved or unimproved; assume; will consider clear eastern income. GIRDLESTONE Currier Bldg., Los Angeles. 29

FOR EXCHANGE—REALTY AND FURNIture, 3-story frame, 80-room resort hotel, with 2 acres of land, 8 cottages, livery stable, drug store, postoffice, horses and carriages; hotel nicely furnished; property clear; price $40,000. J. R. RICHARDS HOTEL BROKERS CO., 321 Laughlin Bldg. 29

FOR EXCHANGE—TWO NICE MODERN 7-room houses and lots, southeast, not far out, $5000; rents $50; want home at North Pasadena, Monrovia or Pico Heights, worth $1500 or $2000; balance can remain on property to suit. BEN WHITE, 300 Bryson Block. 29

FOR EXCHANGE—MODERN 10-ROOM RESidence in Chicago, first-class neighborhood; valued at $8500; want first-class residence in Los Angeles or Pasadena. ALFRED E. WALTERS, 202 Tajo Bldg. 30

FOR EXCHANGE—I HAVE A LARGE LIST of desirable ranches that can be advantageously exchanged for city property.
Member L. A. C. W. CONWAY,
Realty Board. 304-5 Bradbury Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—I MAKE A SPECIALTY of exchanging California real estate for eastern.
Member L. A. C. W. CONWAY,
Realty Board. 304-5 Bradbury Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—CLEAR UNIMPROVED citrus lands with water right, or orange orchard, also best lemon orchard in California, for any good equity in city. OWNER 208 Trust Bldg. 4

FOR EXCHANGE — $30,000; CLEAR CITY business property, netting $1900, secured lease; want $6000 cash, balance acceptable city or other property. Owner, BOX 174, Station C. 6

FOR EXCHANGE—RESIDENCE NEAR ADams and Figueroa; 8 rooms, choice shrubbery and locality; want alfalfa land, rare opportunity. R. D. LIST, 313 Tajo Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—$14,000 EASTERN CLEAR property for dividend-paying mining or oil stocks. Address D, box 30, TIMES OFFICE. 1

FOR EXCHANGE—PETERS & WEBSTER, 216-17 Laughlin Bldg., will sell or exchange your property; large list to select from.

FOR EXCHANGE—BEN WHITE WILL EXchange your property, offices 306 and 309 BRYSON BLOCK, Second and Spring.

FOR EXCHANGE—$1500; NICE 5-ROOM house and lot, for ranch within 20 miles of city. BEN WHITE, 309 Bryson Blk. 28

FOR EXCHANGE—IOWA PROPERTY TO trade for California residence or ranch. HARTLEY, 442 S. Broadway.

FOR EXCHANGE—HOUSE AND LOT, 943 E. 31ST ST., for Boyle Heights, value $1200. Inquire owner. 21

FOR EXCHANGE—R. E. FOSTER, 619-621 Laughlin Bldg., exchanges property everywhere. 30

BUSINESS CHANCES—
Miscellaneous.

REAL ESTATE ADVERTISERS AND OTHers: Hereafter all real estate and other classified "Want" advertisements for Sunday insertion must be in The Times office not later than 11 o'clock Saturday nights in order to be properly classified. All small advertisements received after this hour will be printed under a special heading of "Too Late to Classify." Special request is made of those telephoning "liners" to do so before 10 p.m. each night.

PRESIDENT FOR CORPORATION FULLY organized; must have good connections and be able to give entire time to company's affairs. To such a man we are able to give an investment up to $5000 at 10 cents on the dollar and which will pay at least 80 per cent. per year on the investment. Address Y, box 67, TIMES OFFICE. 3

FOR SALE—GROCERY STOCK; OWING TO sickness of owner we offer a fine stock of groceries in one of the best towns in the county outside of this city; if you want to step into a good business, see us at once.
CHAS. O. GOODWIN & CO.,
30 107 S. Broadway.

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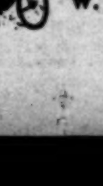
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The Minuteman and Armenia in Matron Stakes—English Cricketers—Baseball.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 28.—The training quarters of Benny Yanger and Eddie Hanlon were visited by crowds of sports today. Hanlon is in perfect shape and brimful of confidence. Harry Foley says his charge is certain to win.

"I never saw Hanlon in better shape than he is today," he said. "He is growing, you know, and will tomorrow night be stronger than ever before. I am convinced he will be able to set a fast pace, and keep it up long enough to cause Yanger to quit. He will change his style and won't crouch, which will be a gain for him."

Yanger is not prone to talk, and Hertz seldom has much to say. He stated, however, that his man was never better, and he expected to win. Hertz added: "Yanger will work for a knockout. He will score one, too, if he lays over Hanlon as he did in the early rounds of their first mill."

BELMONT TO SELL.

TOO BUSY TO KEEP STABLE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] August Belmont, president of the State Racing Commission, today announced his retirement from the turf, and all horses now racing in his colors, as well as his yearlings, will be sold one week from next Thursday. It is understood that Belmont's retirement is temporary, but the exact date when he will return to the turf is indefinite. It depends largely upon the time in which he can so arrange his many corporate interests that he may devote proper care and attention to his stable.

In answer to a question today as to whether it was true that he was going to sell his horses, Belmont said: "Yes, I have come to the conclusion that I have no time to devote to a racing stable at present. I rarely have a chance to see my horses run, and I have so many corporate interests that require my attention that a big racing stable becomes a positive burden to me, instead of a pleasure.

"I have not the slightest intention of severing my connection with the turf. My offices as chairman of the Jockey Club and State Racing Commission and the attention I have to give to racing interests are quite sufficient. Besides this, I have my breeding establishment, and just as soon as I can enjoy the pleasure of training my own horses again I certainly will do so.

"While it is not the same, I nevertheless can have a great deal of pleasure in watching the career of horses which I bred, and as I never had a finer lot of yearlings, I have not the slightest misgivings about being well represented on the turf."

LIPTON TO TRY AGAIN.

YACHTSMAN OVER ILLNESS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CHICAGO, Sept. 28.—"If I could find a designer who I was certain could beat Herreshoff I would build Shamrock IV and challenge for the cup tomorrow. I am retaining Shamrock III, so you can see that I am in hopes of finding such a designer. I intend to keep after the cup until I get it."

These were the statements made by Sir Thomas Lipton at his apartments at the Auditorium Annex last night in the first interview he has given since coming to Chicago ill two weeks ago.

"I want to repeat," he said, "that I have no fault to find with any one for my defeat. I have seen a suggestion that the only way to revive British interest in cup racing would be to dangle the cup in front of our eyes by waiving the rules and letting the challenged American yacht race in British waters. I want to say that, while I personally appreciate the kindliness of the suggestion, we want to win the cup and win it fairly according to the present rules, and I believe that if we did win it, it would not stay on our side more than a year."

Sir Thomas was able to receive visitors last night. He showed no effects of his recent illness. His cheeks were red, his step firm and his bearing enthusiastic. It is probable that Sir Thomas will leave Chicago about the middle of the week. President Underwood of the Erie Railroad has placed his private car at the disposal of the yachtsman for the trip to New York.

KENT COUNTY'S CONQUERORS.

ALL-PHILADELPHIA BEATEN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 28.—The Kent county, Eng., eleven defeated the All-Philadelphia cricket team by 7 wickets. All-Philadelphia scored 128 runs in their first inning and 194 in their second innings, while Kent scored 132 in their first innings and 191 in their second innings for three wickets.

AMERICAN LEAGUE GAMES.

PHILLIES IN SECOND PLACE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 28.—By defeating Cleveland today, Philadelphia captured second place in the pennant race. La Joie's wild throw permitted the locals to tie the score, and his fumble in the tenth inning resulted in the winning run. Attendance, 4940. Score:

Cleveland, 2; hits, 8; errors, 3.
Philadelphia, 4; hits, 8; errors, 2.
Batteries—Donahue and Bemis; Plank and Beavers.

NEW YORK-DETROIT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Manager Griffith put in a new battery today against Detroit, and while Quick lasted only two innings, Bliss, who took his place, was effective. Attendance, 1094. Score:

New York, 7; hits, 13; errors, 4.
Detroit, 6; hits, 9; errors, 3.
Batteries—Quick, Bliss and Schlusky; Kitson and Buelow.

BOSTON-ST. LOUIS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BOSTON, Sept. 28.—The champions concluded the regular schedule today with a double win over St. Louis, shutting the visitors out in the second game. The first game was marred by clumsy fielding, but was close enough to be interesting. The visitors played listlessly in the second game and could do nothing with Dineen's pitching. The errors of Bowersock and Shannon were costly. Sudhoff was batted freely. Attendance, 2681. Score:

First game:
Boston, 8; hits, 11; errors, 4.
St. Louis, 7; hits, 8; errors, 2.
Batteries—Gibson and J. Stahl; Powell and Shannon.
Second game:
Boston, 6; hits, 15; errors, 0.
St. Louis, 0; hits, 7; errors, 4.
Batteries—Dineen and Farrell; Sudhoff and Shannon.

CHICAGO-WASHINGTON.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28.—Washington and Chicago brought the season to a close here today with a double-header which resulted in two victories for Chicago. Washington, by fluky batting, scored five runs in the opening inning of the first game, but later, by poor work in the field, permitted the visitors to win the game. Loose fielding in the second and some good batting by Chicago gave them the second game. Attendance, 1573. Score:

First game:
Washington, 5; hits, 12; errors, 2.
Chicago, 6; hits, 12; errors, 2.
Batteries—Lee and Drill; Patterson and Sullivan.
Second game:
Washington, 3; hits, 6; errors, 4.
Chicago, 10; hits, 15; errors, 3.
Batteries—Wilson and Drill; Altrock and Sullivan.

PITTSBURGH VS. BOSTON.

GAMES FOR CHAMPIONSHIP.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PITTSBURGH, Sept. 28.—The Pittsburgh Baseball Club, champions of the National League, left tonight for Boston, where they, Thursday, will begin a series of nine games for the championship of the world with the Boston team, pennant winners of the American League.

The schedule as arranged for the post-season series, follows: At Boston, October 1, 2 and 3; at Pittsburgh, October 5, 6, 7 and 8. The club winning five games will be given the championship.

NATIONAL LEAGUE GAMES.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

CHICAGO, Sept. 28.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The National and American leagues' season closed today. The following shows the standing of the clubs in both leagues for 1902 and 1903:

SEPTEMBER 28, 1903.

National League—		American League—	
Pittsburgh	.650	Boston	.660
New York	.604	Philadelphia	.550
Chicago	.594	Cleveland	.547
Cincinnati	.532	New York	.533
Brooklyn	.515	Detroit	.481
Boston	.431	St. Louis	.467
Philadelphia	.363	Chicago	.438
St. Louis	.314	Washington	.314

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National League—		American League—	
Pittsburgh	.746	Philadelphia	.620
Brooklyn	.545	St. Louis	.571
Boston	.533	Chicago	.57
Cincinnati	.504	Boston	.541
Chicago	.481	Cleveland	.507
St. Louis	.431	Washington	.449
Philadelphia	.405	Detroit	.383
New York	.354	Baltimore	.371

PACIFIC NATIONAL LEAGUE.

SALT LAKE DEFEATS BUTTE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SALT LAKE, Sept. 28.—Salt Lake, 4; Butte, 3.

GRAND CIRCUIT MEETING.

FOUR FAVORITES FINISH FIRST.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CINCINNATI, Sept. 28.—The Grand Circuit meeting opened at Oakley Park this afternoon under favorable auspices. The weather was superb and the track moderately fast. The sport was first class, though the five events which made up the card were decided in straight heats. Four favorites won. Summary:

The Horse Review purse, $5000, for three-year-old trotters, 3 in 5: Ethel's Pride won three straight heats in 2:15, 2:17¼, 2:16. Baron Gale, Delight, J. N. Blakemore and Sporty also started.

2:11 trot, purse $1200, 2 in 3: Dr. Strong won two straight heats in 2:10¼, 2:08½. Mary D., Marion Wilkes, Norman B., McKinley, Palm Leaf, Belle Jusser, Fanfare and Dorothy Redmond also started.

The Queen City purse, $2000, for 2:14 trotters, 3 in 5: Jay McGregor won three straight heats in 2:12¼, 2:12½, 2:10½. Kinney Lou, Lady Patchie, Patchen Maid, Katrinka G., Margaret Barthgate, Cole Direct, Judge Green and Annie Dillon also started.

2:25 pace, purse $1000, 2 in 3: Directum Miller won two straight heats in 2:10½, 2:11. Dutch Mowry, Ethel Mack, Lady May, Margaret W., Angus Pointer, Stein, Doctor B., Jimmy O., Mary Gorton, Wilson Girl and Line O' Gold also started.

2:11 pace, purse $1000, 2 in 3: Josie S. won two straight heats in 2:09, 2:11¾. Mrs. Marvin, Lazarre, Illinois, Stipulator and Cascade Dove also started.

Harlem Summary.

CHICAGO, Sept. 28.—Six furlongs: Boy Wonder won, Rag Tag second, Stem Winder third; time 1:15 2-5.

Steeplechase, short course: Mr. Rose won, Ceylon second, John E. Owens third; time 3:37 3-5.

Six furlongs: Dick Welles won, Delagoa second, Emma A. M. third; time 1:14 3-5.

Four and a half furlongs: Don Domo won, Clifton Forge second, Dick Bernard third; time 0:54 2-5.

Mile, Chicago centennial: Dr. Stephens won, Six Shooter second, Byways third; time 1:41 3-5.

Mile and a sixteenth: Lady Matchless won, Rab Unta second, Pirateer third; time 1:49 1-5.

Fast Work at Delmar.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 28.—The track was fast at Delmar today. Summary:

Five furlongs: Foxy Grandpa won, Ario second, Judge Denton, third; time 1:-3½.

Six furlongs: Lady Idris won, Weird second, Sceptre third; time 1:15½.

Six furlongs: Follies Bergeres won, Forehand second, Lord Hermence third; time 1:16.

Mile and sixteenth: Dan McKenna won, Monsieur Beaucaire second; Taby Tosa third; time 1:47¾.

Mile and seventy yards: Light Opera won, Montana Peeress second; Silvran third; time 1.46½.

Mile and an eighth, The Booby won, Kunja second, Goo Goo third; time 1:55¾.

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MINUTEMAN AND ARMENIA.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—J. E. Madden's The Minuteman easily won the $10,000 Matron Stakes for colts and geldings at Morris Park today. He and his stable companion, Unique, were favorites in the betting, closing at 6 to 5. W. C. Whitney's Hippocrites, second choice, was second. Sis, 2 years old, faced the starter for this race. Minuteman went out to make the pace, and as the field came in sight at the head of the stretch, he was leading by a length. He gradually increased his lead to the finish, and won by four lengths.

Armenia won the filly end of the Matron Stakes by a head from For Luck. Lady Amelia, the favorite, cut out the running to the dip, where she stopped. Summary:

Last seven furlongs of the Withers mile: Castalian won, Prince Ching second, Cottage Maid third; time 1:27½.

The fifth Matron Stakes for colts and geldings, the Eclipse course: The Minuteman won, Hippocrites second, Collector Jessup third; time 1:09½.

The fifth Matron Stakes, for fillies, the Eclipse course: Armenia won, For Luck second, Beida third; time 1:10¼.

The Jerome Stakes, one mile and five-sixteenths, over the hill: Eugenia Burch won, Grey Friar second; time 1:46½.

Last six and a half furlongs of the Withers mile: Abobadil won, Auromaster second; Precious Stone third; time 1:20¼.

Selling, the Withers mile: Trinity Bell won, King Reine second, Highlanders third; time 1:45.

Carter and Ruhlin.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 28.—"Kid" Carter and Gus Ruhlin fought a hard six-round draw bout tonight at the Washington Sporting Club. Carter was the aggressor in five of the six rounds, but Ruhlin evened matters by giving the most punishment. Ruhlin weighed 194½ and Carter 171½.

LOOLOOS LEAVE FOR LAST NORTHERN GAMES.

SHOULD RETURN HOME WITH THE LEAGUE PENNANT.

Dolly Gray, Hurlburt and Drinkwater Left Behind—Jack Johnson May Come This Week—Hanlon a Local Favorite. Sport on the Alleys.

Morley's Los Angeles ball team, after a more or less victorious series of games here for the last six weeks, left for San Francisco last evening to play their last six weeks away from home during the present season.

The team is now safely in the lead, and from all appearances it will stay there with the ordinary baseball luck. It is about seventy-five points ahead in the percentage column, and it will take a long string of defeats by San Francisco and Sacramento to change this position. The pennant is almost in sight, and the local fans have agreed that Los Angeles will win it this year with something to spare.

Three members of the team did not go North, and these are Catcher Hurlburt and Pitchers Gray and Drinkwater. Yesterday morning they were given orders to remain here, and if no accidents happen to the other players it is believed that they will not play again this season. This decision of Manager Morley means that unless some fast amateurs are picked up around San Francisco to help the Looloos out, Corbett, Wheeler, Newton and Hall will do the pitching until the end of the season.

Morley stated before he left here Sunday evening that there were a number of good amateurs around San Francisco who had been recommended to him by the other managers, and if necessary he would try some of them out. It is believed, however, that when Newton or Hall is pitching, either Corbett or Wheeler will be on second base. With Dillon back in the game, and Toman rounding into shape, it should not be hard for the Looloos to hold their own with any of the teams in the league.

VALE FISHER.

If Mike Fisher is left out of the league next year, in the scheme that is brewing to have but three clubs in this State, the sport will lose a unique feature. It is possible he may be induced to go to Portland, Seattle or Tacoma to manage a Coast League team next season, but in any event it is hinted that he will not be in Sacramento with a team, for the chances are strongly in favor of Sacramento being skipped by the league, as no team makes any money when games are played there.

LEAGUE STANDING.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Per ct.
Los Angeles	158	99	59	.627
San Francisco	167	90	77	.539
Sacramento	142	64	78	.519
Portland	152	65	87	.454
Oakland	172	75	97	.436
Seattle	155	66	89	.426

SPLITS AND SPARES.

WINTER TOURNEY ENTRIES.

The entries for the tournament of the Southern California Bowling Association, beginning next Monday night, closed last evening, and from the number of players in the list, good sport is assured this winter. There are nine teams, and they contain the best bowlers of large and small balls in this end of the State. The big majority of the men are too well known to need mention, for their names have appeared in dozens of bowling games here this summer.

The teams and players are as follows:

Belmont—T. C. Quinn, captain; C. Saunders, C. Heffner, H. Spoor, F. Muegenburg and T. Scarich.

Coliseum—J. Pearne, captain; W. McPherson, B. Holmes, C. Darling, F. Lowery and George Tedford.

Christopher's—C. Denike, captain; J. Farmer, M. Swearinger, F. Brill, J. Hunter and M. Strong.

Long Beach—W. Harper, captain; W. McDonald, A. J. Frazier, B. Brown, W. L. Stafford, H. B. Parker, L. C. Powell, J. Sisco, A. S. Eason, D. E. Clough, E. M. Gilbert, C. L. McCartney, H. S. McNeil and H. J. Benedict.

Maples—J. Goldsmith, captain; J. Novakovitch, R. Carrasco, H. Dubois, A. George, A. Obradovich, F. Thomas and F. Williams.

Monarchs—A. E. Mackenzie, captain; F. W. Samuelson, A. S. Dunton, H. C. McCulley and C. D. Tedford.

Oaks—S. P. Dysinger, captain; F. J. Conery, C. Goodman, C. Good, O. Alger and E. Clark.

Ocean Park—A. D. Tompkins, captain; R. Howard, E. Mitchell, E. Fraser, F. Gilman, H. Howard, C. Corrillo, W. M. West, S. Jackson and W. McGee.

Pasadena—P. Gibbings, captain; C. E. Platt, H. R. Lacey, H. Kloeckner, F. Pierce, A. J. Bray, F. Coty and C. Jacobs.

TUXEDO TEAM WON.

At the Monarch alleys last night the Tuxedo team easily beat the Santa Fé team at tenpins by a score of 2692 to 2275, the scores being as follows:

Santa Fe—	1.	2.	3.	Av.
Dutton	155	132	156	147 2-3
Keith	150	170	120	146 2-3
Lawrence	154	130	152	145 1-3
Partler	174	147	147	156
Graves	180	140	158	159 1-3
Totals	813	729	733	
Tuxedo—	**1.**	**2.**	**3.**	**Av.**
Luctig	174	187	219	193 1-3
Benfer	179	168	212	186 1-3
Craig	157	162	190	159 2-3
Chapelle	157	177	181	171 2-3
Jacobs	202	176	181	186 1-3
Totals	869	870	953	

WITH THE PUGS.

JOHNSON MAY YET COME.

Sam McVey, the black wonder from Oxnard, who is supposed to fight Jack Johnson in this city on October 27, arrived here yesterday to see how the land lay toward Johnsonville. He will probably remain the balance of the week, or until he can hear definitely from Johnson as to what he really intends to do. That shifty fighter is due here some time this week. He has held out for a fight in San Francisco, but as McVey will not go there, Johnson must come here, for he is broke and is very anxious for a paying scrap.

Hanlon a Favorite.

Considerably more than the usual interest is taken locally in the Hanlon-Yanger fight scheduled for this evening in San Francisco. Both boys are known here to many sports, and particularly Hanlon, who has been here several times the past summer. He made many friends in this city by his demeanor, and this is the reason why the local sports have made him a 10-to-8 favorite over Yanger. About $500 has been wagered here and doubtless twice that sum will be bet tonight. Several local places will receive returns of the fight by rounds and Hanlon is expected to win inside of twelve rounds.

Monroe on.

Jack Munroe, the Butte joke, who had an idea he wanted to fight Jeffries, is matched to fight Jack McCormick in Washington on the night of October 5. They have a guarantee of $2000, which they will divide as best suits them, and it is safe to say there will not be a knockout on the programme.

Golf Election.

The Los Angeles Country Club will hold an election of directors next Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the clubhouse. There is but one ticket in the field and it contains the names of S. P. Hunt, A. Crutcher, C. Holterhoff, J. F. Sartori, P. R. Wilson, E. T. Stimson, W. W. Butler, E. B. Tufts and W. A. Barker. These will be elected directors.

Racquet Wielders.

The Country Club tennis players will decide the club championship next Friday and Saturday on the courts below the clubhouse. The sport has been neglected for a long time at the Country Club, but the players now propose to boom it to the front with championship play at singles and doubles, for which there are about twenty entries. Singles will be played on Friday and doubles on Saturday.

HUNTERS BACK.

TALE OF ENJOYABLE TRIP.

Frank Keniston, Frank N. Drake, William Graham and J. W. Wiley returned Sunday night from a prolonged outing in the Kern River country. They were gone nearly a month, and all reported an excellent time.

Keniston says the party ate venison from the second day, and did not have to kill any does either, though the bucks were all spiked. Meat keeps splendidly in the upper country, though when the party tried to send some to Los Angeles by one who was going home they found the scheme was impracticable.

All the trout that could be used was caught from the river right in front of the camp. The fish weighed about a pound each, as the party threw back all the little ones, having no use for more than they could eat right along. Keniston returned with a beard very much a la Joe Bush, as the boys say, and all were in great spirits from their long outing.

CITY ELECTRICIAN FALLS NEAR DEATH.

COLBURN SHOCKED ON A POLE BY HIGH CURRENT.

Police-Signal System and Southern Pacific Block System Rendered Useless Last Night by Crossed Wires, and Both Damaged.

By the crossing of the wires of the street-lighting circuit owned by the Los Angeles Electric Company with wires of the police-signal system last night, the latter system was rendered useless and dangerous. The place where the wires are crossed could not be discovered in the darkness, although several men of the City Electrician's department spent almost the entire night searching for the seat of the trouble.

Assistant City Electrician Colburn narrowly escaped death by electric shock at First and San Pedro streets while looking for the crossed wires. He had climbed a pole and was standing on a platform near a fuse box in which he was making tests, hoping thereby to find how much of that particular circuit was affected by the high potential current which was running through it from the arc-light circuit. He came in contact with a live wire, and was knocked down. He fell on the narrow platform forty feet from the ground, but managed to hold on. The shock was so severe that he was made sick for a time, but insisted on continuing the work. An hour later, at Adams and Main street, he received another shock, but not so severe as the other.

Every box of the police-signal system was cut out of service as a measure of precaution against accidents, and the members of the night watch were told not to use the boxes, some of which were highly charged with electricity. The extent of the damage to the system could not be ascertained, but it is not believed that it is seriously crippled.

From the same cause the block-signal system of the Southern Pacific Railroad along Alameda street was rendered useless. The heavy current from the arc-lighting circuit burned out the coils. It will be necessary to replace all the relays in this system and as they are of a peculiar pattern, the railroad company must send elsewhere for them. The amount of the loss in dollars and cents cannot be computed until a daylight examination has been made.

SAN DIEGO COUNTY.

SALT LAKE GOING THERE?

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SAN DIEGO, Sept. 28.—Homer H. Peters, the Chicago millionaire, who is to build a tourist hotel in this city, stopped recently in Denver, where he endeavored to purchase of the American Hydraulic Stone Company the full rights in San Diego county to use its patents. The hollow concrete blocks are used for government and railroad purposes. Mr. Peters was considerably surprised when informed that Senator W. A. Clark had already secured this territory for the use of these blocks. Although Mr. Peters could not learn as to Senator Clark's railroad intentions south of Los Angeles, it hardly looks reasonable to suppose that he desires to manufacture the concrete blocks in this county for anything but railroad uses, so the inference is naturally drawn that he intends to do railroad construction in this direction.

THE YMUST VACCINATE.

The vaccination question, which for so long has been agitating this community, shows no signs of abatement, and now Chief of Police Thomas intends to take a hand. He proposes to enforce the law of 1903, which requires all children between the ages of 8 and 14 years, to be placed in school. He is collecting the names of all parents who refrain from complying with the law, and unless they change their tactics, he will arrest them according to the statutes. Fines varying from $1 to $10 for the first offense, and as high as $50 for the second, are imposed by law.

MURDER REPORTED.

A brief dispatch received in this city states that Frank Roberts was murdered five miles east of Brawley, a small settlement far out on the desert. Nothing appears to be known here about Frank Roberts, and no particulars of the manner in which he came to his death were received. The Coroner has gone to investigate.

NOTES AND PERSONALS.

Inspector T. Johnson, who has been here for several days examining into the affairs of the local post, physically, financially, and in every other way, has completed his work and will leave for the East today. According to the New York Sun of the 23d inst., orders have been issued from the War Department, transferring Capt. E. D. Scott from the Thirteenth Company of Artillery, at present located at this post, to the Eighthieth Company, near New York Harbor.

The members of the naval militia, Third Division, had a shoot for the Bloodgood medal at the rifle range at the park yesterday. The shooting was at the 200-yard target, and on account of shortage of ammunition, the whole command did not go out. W. H. Rapier made the high score for the day, but as he is not an active member, his record did not count for the medal. The other scores were: H. Buckle, 38; George McNeil, 38; L. Cooper, 33; D. Comamdish, 32; E. Swarton, 30; H. Howard, 29; A. Nelson, 26, and F. S. Saccati, 20. Buckle and McNeil shot off the tie, and tied again at 21 out of a possible 25. McNeil fell down in the next round, and Buckle will wear the medal until the next contest.

J. D. Ford of Los Angeles is visiting at Poway.

Mrs. Willis of National City is visiting her daughter in Los Angeles.

Miss Cora Holden of Los Angeles is visiting her parents at Lemon Grove.

Mrs. Hanniman and Miss Margaret Kincaid of Los Angeles are visiting their former home at Descanso.

Walter Beidleman, formerly of Lemon Grove, has gone to Los Angeles to take a position with F. W. Braun & Co.

IMPERIAL.

RAIN ON THE DESERT.

IMPERIAL, Sept. 28.—The Colorado Desert has experienced one of its rare rainstorms. The last rain had been on December 15, making a lapse of nine months and eleven days until the rain which began Saturday night. Sunday evening there was still further rain, the total precipitation of the storm being about a half inch. While rain is not relied on for farming, it was highly desirable for laying the dust. The wide landscape in view from Imperial enabled the people to watch the approach of this storm for more than 100 miles from the south where it stretched in unbroken black clouds from the Santa Catarina Mountains, far down in Lower California, across the peninsula to the Gulf of California, and with this wide reach it advanced over the desert to the northward, breaking with especial force on the mountains, but laying the dust throughout the entire desert.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

MONDAY, Sept. 28, 1903.

Paul Bossmiller to Patrick M Bannon, lot 5, block 30, Electric Railway Homestead Association, $600.

George A Leighton, Rose G Leighton and Theodore Wiesendanger to Mrs Eva Mirgon, lot 107 Golf Park tract, $10.

France K Irving to William Reimann, lot 4, block 2, City View tract, $750.

J M Staggers and Nettie L Staggers to Thomas Holden, part lot 1, Day's subdivision, $250.

A W Hutton, Kate T Hutton, Oliver Wellborn and Lilly Wellborn to Mrs J A Vaughn, lot 15, block 4, Vignes tract, $750.

F R Bear and Maud E Bear to Los Angeles Presbytery, part lot 29, block A, of Grider & Hamilton's subdivision of Bell tract, $10.

John T Umphrey to Oscar C Sturges, lot 1, Earl tract No 2, $250.

Charles W Wilson and Agnes I Wilson to W E Tyler, lots 28 and 29, block D, New Fair Oaks Avenue tract, $3500.

George F Kernahan and Emma T Kernahan to Theodore Skallernd, lot 3, block D, New Fair Oaks Avenue tract, $2800.

George W Stimson and Jennie W Stimson to George F Kernaghan, part lot 8 and all lot 9, Caldwell, Ray & Mills subdivision, $1800.

A C Hess and Nettie Hess to W U Corbin and Daisy Corbin, lot 17, Martin & Carnahan's subdivision, $1800.

John B Brokaw and Ida H Brokaw to Frank Kern, lot 1, block 3, Wilde Strong's subdivision, $6400.

Wat Tyler to Freeman Ford, lot 43 and part lot 42, Reeve tract, $10.

Title, Insurance and Trust Company to Harry L Wilson, reconveyance of trust property.

Theodore H Jessup and Hannah M Jessup to Margaret J Iliff, lot 16 block 21111, Whittier, $10.

Title, Insurance and Trust Company to Joseph H Schlosser, Strong & Dickinson's Woodlawn, $10.

P B Chase and Calista T Chase to Wellington Clark, lot 13, block 1, Hollywood Ocean View tract, $10.

James C Kays to Alice May Dundas, lot 21 and part lot 19, West Adams Street tract, $10.

M O Mould to Abbie B Kersey, lot 4, block 21, Angeleno Heights, $350.

Tillie M Althouse and John G Althouse to Anna S Irish, lot 149 Lone Star tract, $10.

M L Anthony and C S Anthony to Jane M Hayes, lot 41, Grider & Dow's Adams Street tract, $2600.

William Woodbury Lord to Alice R Sheffield and Joe M Sheffield, agreement to convey lot 5, William Woodbury Lord's resubdivision, $2200.

Mrs C M Steen and J Steen to J A Bates, lot 7, block 2, West Rosas tract, $1100.

Azusa Land & Water Company to J N Tearus, lots 20 and 21, block 52, and lots 23 and 24, block 72, Azusa.

Frank A Harris, Frank A Harris as administrator of Mary I Harris, Edward Harris, Harold Harris, Frank A Harris father and guardian of Edward Harris, Harold Harris, William Harris, guardian of Edward Harris and Harold Harris, by Charles G Keller, commissioner, to Patrick O'Connor, executor of estate of James F Crowley, deceased, part of lot 10, subdivision of part of Ro Los Cerritos, $400.

Raymond Improvement Company to Mary L Burns, lot 4, block 4, Raymond Improvement Company's tract, $10.

Clara T Ranker and Jacob Ranker to G W Coultas, part lot 3, block 56, Pomona, $60.

Frederick P Dalton to Albert R Young, lot 4, Dalton Orange Grove tract, $10.

Sarah E Dalton to same, lots 51, 52 and 53, same, $10.

Title Insurance and Trust Company to Edward L Johnson, lots 4, 5, 10, 11, block K, Harvard Heights tract, $10.

Mary E Hagadorn to J H Young, lot 22, Skillen's subdivision, $10.

Union Trust and Realty Company to W H Obear, reconveyance of lot 9, block 7, Williamson tract.

H Obear and Lulu B Obear to Charles Wellington Wilson, lot 9, block 7, Williamson tract, $10.

A H Tufts, trustee, to Fred J Smith, part block A, Loop & Meserve tract, $5.

G W Church and Lillie A Church to Elizabeth J Lathers, lot 16, Hooper's Adams-street tract, $10.

Title Insurance and Trust Company to William L Schmitz, lot 12, block J, Harvard Heights tract, $10.

Eunice C Denio to Elisha K Green, lot in north line of Eighth street, 75 feet east of northeast corner Eighth and Valencia streets, $6600.

John F Dickinson to William H Dickinson, lot 1, block A, Cable Road tract, $10.

Charles B Barrett to E A Green, lot 10 and part lot 11, block 1, D W Shellhamer's subdivision, $10.

J H Bartle and Amelia Bartle to John R Colburn, lot 2, block C, Bicknell's addition to Monrovia, $10.

Jackson Meade to John Hollins, part lot 124, Goodwin tract, $10.

Farmers' and Merchants' Bank of Los Angeles to Frederick C Fenner, lot 1, block T, Monrovia, $800.

Abbot Kinney, A R Fraser, G M Jones and H R Gage to Mary A Berryman, lot 335, block 5, Golden Bay tract, $150.

John Richard Williams, Miles P Newberry and Elias J Baldwin vs Richard H Taylor, decree quieting title in plaintiff, John Richard Williams, part rancho San Francisquito; in plaintiff, Miles P Newberry, part of lot 51, E J Baldwin's addition No 1; in plaintiff, Elias J Baldwin, part rancho San Francisquito.

Estella May Simpson to Anna M Simpson, lot 1, block 5, New Vernon; also property not in Los Angeles county, $10.

Theodore Wiesendanger to Henry Piedel and Sarah Francis Piedel, lot 129, Wiesendanger South End tract, $10.

A B Whitney, C L Whitney and A B Whitney to Edward W Hankins, lots 27 and 28, block K, Glendora tract, $200.

W H Workman, Maria E Workman, H W Keller and M A Keller, to F A Redden, lot 1, block D, Workman Park tract, $10.

Rose A Davis to George W Stimson, lot 11, West End Terrace, $10.

Frances Scoles to Leander B Yound, lot 2, block 1, I Mitchell's subdivision, $60.

Charles M Lee and Mary J Lee to L B Yound, lot 1, block 1, same, $400.

M A Forster, individual, and as trustee, to Mrs J L McCalley, lot 9, block 10, Pasadena Villa tract, $50.

J A Frame, trustee for A E Robinson, to George C Thornburg, lot 34, Kenwood Park tract, $10.

Abbot Kinney, A R Fraser, G M Jones and H R Gage to T H Dudley, lot 106 and part lot 107, Crescent Bay tract, $1532.

David Tompkins and Ruffina Tompkins to Mary J Wooten, lot 1, block 68, Azusa, $100.

Title Guarantee and Trust Company to Thomas St Peter, reconveyance of trust property.

Mary Moan to John H Barnham, lots 10, 11 and 12, block A, Currier tract, $950.

Fannie M Smith to N A Covarrubias, lot 55, Agricultural Park tract, $100.

John T Kiernan to William Stewardson, lots 14 and 15, H C Thomas tract, $10.

F A Ford to P N Morten, part lot 7, block 2, City Donation lots, and part section 3, 2 S 13, $60.

Southern Pacific Company to Nellie P Macdougal, lots 10 and 11, block 13, Toluca, $10.

John Edmondson and Grace Edmondson to James Edmondson, part lot 9, A F Mills subdivision, $10.

Frank W Stevens and Weltha A Stevens to E W Griewe, lot 22, Stevens Home tract, $250.

Same to W H Griewe, lot 21, Stevens Home tract, $250.

Annie R McQuillan and Katie F McQuillan to Marie Forrester, lot 2, block 2, Buena Vista tract, $10.

Abbot Kinney, A R Fraser, G M Jones and H R Gage to George N Briggs, lot 22 and part lot 20, Country Club tract, $900.

Helen Moore and T J Moore to W H Bosley, lot 21, block 1, Highland tract, addition No 1, $8000.

Frederick August Mockenhaupt (also known as Frederick A Mockenhaupt) and Theresia Mockenhaupt to Louis Mockenhaupt, lot 1, Addison's subdivision, $5.

Bank of San Pedro to Enoch Loper, lot 29, block 7, Peck's subdivision of blocks 4, 7, 8 and 9, Carolina tract, $10.

F W A Stock and Lucy Stock to J N Green, part lot 4, block 3, Compton, $100.

H W Thompson and Eliza J Thompson to Elva A Seely, lot 4, subdivision of lot 1, block B, San Pasqual tract, $1850.

D P Chapman to Lucie Travilla, lot 4, W J Ballard tract, $800.

Mary A Bartlett to Alice B Fuller, part lot 4, block B, San Pasqual tract, $10.

Charles M Stimson to Paul Heinicke, lot 33, block C, Meade & Dalton tract, $900.

Mrs A B Suffren and William B Suffren to E F Bettannier and L C Bettannier, lot 10, block 1, Vine Cottage tract, $1650.

Rosedale Cemetery Association to Iowa A Beckett, lot 11, section 8, Rosedale Cemetery, $350.

Iowa A Beckett and W W Beckett to Rosedale Cemetery Association, lot 11, section 8, city, $1.

Anna C Hough to same, lot 12, section 8, city, $1.

Rosedale Cemetery Association to Anna G Hough, lot 11, section 8, Rosedale Cemetery, $350.

Rosedale Cemetery Association to Anna G Hough, agreement to care for same, $150.

Same to Iowa A Beckett, lot 12, section 8, Rosedale Cemetery, $350.

Mary M Wilder to Rosedale Cemetery Association, part lot 155, section M, Rosedale Cemetery, $1.

G L Louden and Carrie M Louden to Henry James Bleay, part section 22, 2 S 14, $10.

Joseph Burkhard and Flora Burkhard to John Bottema and Kitty Bottema, lot 14, block 2, West Adams & Jefferson-street tract, $10.

D R Clay and May J Clay to W W Thomas, lot 11, Peck's subdivision of block 33, San Pedro, $400.

Nathan H Varney to Mrs Hannar E Fliding, lot 7, Bergen tract, $10.

Joseph Mesmer, executor of estate of Louis Mesmer, deceased, and Joseph Mesmer to Beach Land Company, lot 3, block 2; lot 13, block 15, Playa del Rey, $1000.

W H Neiswender and Lou Neiswender to Clara M and W G Tunstall, lot 57, Wiesendanger tract, $10.

John R Youngs to Phebe L Youngs and Eva L Youngs, lot 18, block 33, Electric Railway Homestead Association, $10.

Phebe L Youngs to John R Youngs, same, $10.

F D Colby and Lizzie Colby to J A Ball, lot 2 and part lot 2, Garvey's addition No 2, $4000.

Frank B Harbert and Emma C Harbert to John Hell, part lot 19, block N, West Los Angeles, $2000.

Paul Clifford Johnson and Lizzie K Johnson to Clayton F Smith, lot 28, Green's Central-avenue tract, $125.

Abbot Kinney to Lucy W Walker, lot 4 and part lot 2, block 4, Kinney Heights tract, $10.

Howard W Mills to Margaret J Mills, part lots 1 and 4, and all lots 2 and 3, H W Mills's subdivision, $10.

William H Johnson and May Duane to Miles Ackerman, lot 22, block 48, Electric Railway Homestead Association, $2100.

Richard Edwards and Minnie Edwards to H H Hayward, part lots 15 and 16, block B, J W Browning's subdivision, $2000.

German-American Savings Bank to James McGregor, part lot 63, McDonald tract, $10.

Oliver C Finn to city of Santa Monica, lot 24, block C, Santa Monica, $10.

Mary C Valiant and George F Valiant to same, part lot 29, block C, Santa Monica tract, $10.

Abbot Kinney, G M Jones, A R Fraser and H R Gage to same, commencing at southeast corner lot 36, block 10, north 3 deg 39 min east 25 feet, etc, $1.

W S Vawter and Sarah M Vawter to same, lots 27 and 28, block B, Santa Monica tract, $10.

Oliver E Roberts and Emma Roberts to same, lots 42 and 43, block B, Santa Monica tract, $10.

Los Angeles, Ocean Park and Santa Monica Railway Company to same, right of way to extend Marine street across portion of the railway right of way of first party, $10.

Los Angeles-Pacific Railroad to same, beginning at corner lot 36, block 10, replat Bay View tract, north 43 deg 29 min east 184.85 feet, etc, $10.

Charles M Stimson to Annie C Victoria, lot 47, Davin & Julius's subdivision, $200.

Joseph Lugo and Francisco Lugo to Florence H Crowell, lot 24, block C, Pomeroy & Stimson's subdivision, $500.

G E Wise and Mabel E Wise to E S Shattuck, lots 2 and 3, block 9, Thomas Leahy's subdivision, $10.

William R Wynn and S M Wynn to Frank E Parker, lots 24 and 25, Hall tract, $10.

George B Hunnicutt and Iva E Hunnicutt to J P Armstrong, lot 5, Rust's subdivision, $10.

A J Wilson and Katherine Wilson to Ethel Armstrong, lot 3, Philip C Noake's subdivision, $800.

E W Hoag and Stella Hoag to Jesse S Barrett, lot 1, Hoag tract, $500.

Clara E Shatto to Emma E Little, lots 2 and 3, block 38, of 3¼ West End University tract, $10.

Luke Kelly to Frances Taylor, lots 1 and 2 in block J, Central Home Place, San Pedro, $10.

David A Curl and Maggie Curl to C E Pendell, lot 17, James Townsend's subdivision, $10.

E Garle Smead to Rachel H Jamison, lot 4, block 7, Electric Railway Homestead Association, $450.

Mattie J Norton and J B Norton to John T Harvey, lot 10, block A, Millard tract, $10.

H Boettcher and Alwine Boettcher to Cyrus Beard, lot 152, Boettcher tract, $650.

Same to H J Rich, lot 50, same, $650.

Same to C W Beard, lot 151, same, $50.

F S Hughes, agent of American Building Company of Baltimore, to W J Hamilton, lot 66, Bauchet tract, $1.

John Heaton and Hallie B Heaton, nee Hallie Bradshaw, to M W Messinger, lot 15, block 65, Burbank, $30.

Warren Gillelen to Peter Dugen, lots 96 and 97, Salt Lake Depot tract, $10.

Total, $92,171.

UNDELIVERED TELEGRAMS.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Postal Telegraph-Cable Co., 229 South Spring street, for Frederic Carter, Mrs. Hannah R. Rappe, Harry R. Carpenter, Mrs. Alice Clarke, George Brooke, Mrs. Prewett, Luis B. Canobbio.

SONOMA COUNTY ASSESSMENTS.

SANTA ROSA, Sept. 28.—The Board of Supervisors today in special session fixed the assessment of the railroad property in this county as follows: California Northwestern, 110.02 miles, at $12,083 per mile; the Southern Pacific, 30.52 miles, at $15,000 per mile; North Shore, 25 miles, $7100 per mile.

DISASTERS OFF NEWFOUNDLAND.

ST. JOHNS (N. F.) Sept. 28.—Vessels returning from the Grand Banks report sighting the hull of a large vessel apparently a French fishing bark, floating bottom-up. It is believed that the vessel foundered during the recent North Atlantic hurricane with all hands. She carried a crew of nearly fifty men. It is feared other disasters have occurred, as several vessels are missing.

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THE CITY IN BRIEF.

NEWS AND BUSINESS.

Where is Henderson?

The relatives in Scotland of James Henderson are anxious to hear from him. In 1896 his address was Pico heights, Los Angeles, Cal. Information may be sent to Vice-Consul Mortimer, Temple Block.

Reception to Pastor.

Vincent Methodist Church will tender a reception to Rev. George A. Hough and Mrs. Hough on Friday evening, expressive of appreciation at the return of the popular couple to that church for another year.

His Horse Threw Him.

William Smith, a rancher from Redondo, was treated at the Receiving Hospital yesterday for a dislocated shoulder. While riding a horse through town the animal became frightened at a passing car and threw him.

Methodist Preachers.

The following officers were elected by the Methodist ministers of the city at their meeting held yesterday: President T. C. Miller; vice-president, Isaac Jewell; secretary, Harry W. White; Programme Committee, R. S. Fisher, G. A. Hough and E. H. Fretz.

Lyric-Philharmonic Courses.

The seat sale for the Philharmonic and Lyric Musical courses opens today at the Union Pacific ticket office, on South Spring street. The Philharmonic course includes the Duss Metropolitan Orchestra, Mme. Schumann-Heink and Eliery's Royal Italian Band.

Quong's Appeal.

The appeal of Quon You Quong from the decision of the United States Commissioner who ordered him deported in January last, was taken up in the United States Circuit Court yesterday. Quong has been lying in jail all these weary months waiting for a chance to prove that he is an American citizen.

Died on a Train.

An unknown Mexican died suddenly yesterday on a Southern Pacific train while en route to this city. The body was taken to Bresee Bros.' morgue by order of the Coroner, but that official was unable to ascertain at what station the man had boarded the train, or what his name was. Death was undoubtedly due to natural causes.

Admitted to Practice.

James F. Peck of Merced was yesterday admitted to practice in the United States Circuit Court, on motion of Alexander Valentine; Alfred W. Allen and F. B. Woodruff, both of this city, were admitted to practice in the United States District Court, on motion of Edward Wehrle; H. W. Hanson was admitted to practice in both the Federal courts, on motion of Attorney Wehrle.

Wants to Find Relatives.

A man supposed to be Emil Gulach was, on September 14, found dead in his room at Boston, Mass. Eastern authorities are desirous of finding relatives supposed to be living in Los Angeles. Mrs. N. C. Lamson, writing from No. 14 Warrenton street, Boston, under date of September 21, says the body of the deceased will be held ten days, and asks that interested parties communicate with her.

Prospective Business Properties.

B. Frank Mansfield has sold to Murphy & McLennan, through the agencies of Herbert Peery and Ozro W. Childs, 474x160 feet, unimproved, on the east side of Main street, between Twelfth and Pico streets; consideration named, $9750. Herman W. Hellman sells, through the agency of R. A. Rowan, to local investor, 100x170 feet, unimproved, on the northwest corner of Flower and Pico streets; consideration named, $15,000.

Knocked by a Car.

Walter Brand had a narrow escape from death yesterday at Eighth and Spring streets. The boy was riding a bicycle, and in attempting to get out of the way of one street car, ran directly in front of another. The car struck his wheel and knocked him almost to the curb. He was conveyed to the Receiving Hospital, where it was found that he was suffering from concussion of the brain and an abrasion on the head. His injuries are not believed to be dangerous.

Died of Heart Disease.

A man whose identity has not been fully established but who is supposed to have been H. Houtly of San Francisco, died suddenly yesterday morning at the Wilmington lodging-house on Wilmington street of angina pectoris. He appeared there the day before, and said he had just got off train from San Francisco. He was very sick and asked that a physician be sent for, which was done. The doctor could do nothing for him, and after lingering in agony for hours, death relieved his sufferings.

Injured by Train.

Carl Weiss, a rancher, was brought to the city yesterday afternoon and taken to the Emergency and General Hospital, No. 418 Crocker street, unconscious from the effects of injuries received in attempting to board a moving Santa Fé train at Monrovia. He caught the hand rail, but his body was thrown against the end of the coach with such force that his hold was broken, and he was thrown to the ground. He sustained a fracture of the left leg, and it is feared he was seriously injured internally.

Simpson Pinched Again.

It is not exactly right in Los Angeles to climb a porch at night or hold up a street car, but it is not a crime to stand and look at a box car on a railroad track. Lew Simpson proved this yesterday to his satisfaction, at least. Simpson, who is locally famous as the champion "blind pig" promoter of Southern California, was standing on Alameda street watching a train. A new cop named Walsh saw him and haughtily ordered him to move on. He didn't do it quick enough, and was arrested and made to put up $25 bail. That is as far as he got, however, for the District Attorney's office refused to issue a warrant for a man caught looking at a railroad train.

BREVITIES.

Real estate advertisers and others: Hereafter all real estate and other classified "want" advertisements for Sunday insertion must be in The Times office not later than 11 o'clock Saturday night in order to be properly classified. All small advertisements received after this hour will be printed under a special heading of "Too late to Classify." Special request is made of those telephoning "Liners" to do so before 10 p. m. each night.

If you want to know all about Avalon and Catalina Island, who's there, and what's doing, send 50 cents to The Times office for a month's subscription to "The Wireless," Avalon's new daily, published by the Times-Mirror Company. It prints "All the News All the Time" concerning the enchanted isle, and tells big-fish stories every day.

Spier, the ladies' hatter, is showing the smartest and most elegant line of millinery in the city. Spier, ladies' hatter and milliner, 121 South Spring street, sole agent for Croft's Fifth-avenue tailored hats and Connelly turbans.

Newman's Hair Health cures all scalp trouble. If you cannot get it, do not use anything. 308 Johnson Bldg., Fourth and Broadway. Both 'phones.

Classes open today at Y.W.C.A. in cooking, drawing, shirt-waist making, choral, English, stenography and physical training.

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There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union office for F. H. Wier, Dr. R. S. Petter, A. R. Gray (5,) A. H. Dexter, A. E. Aimind, William B. F. Lansburg, J. Vance Lewis, G. N. Boone and Will Loney.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued from the office of the County Clerk yesterday:

Benjamin Sweitzer, aged 23, native of California, resident of Los Angeles, and Edith Horw, aged 18, native of Illinois, resident of Pasadena.

Edward T. Carter, aged 28, native of Pennsylvania, resident of Los Angeles, and Gertrude D. West, aged 20, native of Iowa, resident of Fullerton.

Nils Adolph Lind, aged 25, native of Sweden, and Alvina J. Carlson, aged 22, native of Sweden; both residents of Los Angeles.

William Harvey Dye, aged 55, native of Ohio, and Sarah Jane Becker, aged 46, native of Pennsylvania; both residents of Los Angeles.

Julia Torres, aged 35, native of Mexico, and Ynes Lasoya, aged 29, native of Mexico; both residents of Los Angeles.

Edward E. Wilson, aged 28, native of Illinois, and Bertha V. Ruechal, aged 24, native of Iowa; both residents of Los Angeles.

John Fer, aged 33, native of Austria, and Josephine Yturraide, aged 19, native of California; both residents of San Pedro.

George F. Cody, aged 31, native of Illinois, and Orpha M. Stack, aged 25, native of Illinois; both residents of Los Angeles.

Marshall A. Millard, aged 37, native of Oregon, and Elizabeth Ducey, aged 31, native of Vermont; both residents of Los Angeles.

Harry Charles Roller, aged 27, native of Missouri, and Mamie Davis, aged 18, native of California; both residents of Los Angeles.

Herbert A. Speakman, aged 28, native of Pennsylvania, resident of Los Angeles, and Nellie L. Franee, aged 26, native of New Jersey, resident of Atlantic City.

Albert J. Charle, aged 26, native of Belgium, and Alberta Crawford, aged 20, native of Missouri; both residents of Pomona.

Luke Davis Bechtel, aged 48, native of Pennsylvania, and Josephine Dol, aged 39, native of Cuba; both residents of Los Angeles.

DEATH RECORD.

MOODY—At the residence, Fourth and Euclid, September 27, 1903, Lucy, wife of William Moody, aged 21 years. Funeral at Bresee Bros.' parlors, Tuesday at 10 a.m. Friends invited. Interment Evergreen.

SPENCER—Ebenezer Spencer, at the Soldiers' Home, Los Angeles county, Cal., on Monday morning, September 28. Funeral services at the Home at 2 p.m. this afternoon.

MILLER—In this city, September 27, 1903, Richard Miller, aged 61 years. Funeral from 420 West Fourth street, Wednesday, September 30, at 2:30 p.m. Friends invited. Interment private.

M'MANIS—In this city, September 27, 1903, Rachel A. McManis, sister of John R. McManis, a native of Indiana, aged 64 years. Funeral from late home, 947 Date street, Tuesday, September 29, 1903, at 2 o'clock p.m. Interment Evergreen Cemetery.

FAWCETT—At her home in Pasadena, Cal., Martha A. Fawcett, beloved wife of Col. J. H. Fawcett, after a lingering illness, passed into rest September 27, 1903, aged 4 years 9 days. Funeral from First Christian Church, corner Fair Oaks and Mary street, Pasadena, Cal., Wednesday, at 10 o'clock a.m. Friends invited. San Francisco and San Diego, Cal., and Princeton, Ill., papers please copy.

SPERDY—In this city, at 420 East Thirty-fifth street, September 28, Mrs. Mertie Sperdy, aged 26. Funeral services will be held Wednesday, 2 p.m., at Bresee Bros. parlors, corner Sixth and Broadway. Interment Evergreen. Friends invited.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

CURTIS—The funeral services of H. Curtis (2332 Central ave.) will be held at the funeral palace of W. H. Sutch, 842 South Figueroa street, at 2:30 p.m., September 29.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to tender our sincere thanks to our neighbors and friends of Los Angeles, San Francisco, Ohio, as well as friends in the City Street Superintendent's office for their kind sympathy extended us during our recent bereavement.

—HARRY ETTLING AND FAMILY.

Orr & Hines Co., Funeral Directors.

After October 1, I will be in San Francisco part of the time. During my absence, Mr. John W. Edwards (my brother-in-law) will have charge of the business. The balance of the force will remain the same, including Mrs. Connell. FRED A. HINES, President.

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PALESTINE LODGE, U. D., F. & A. M., will confer the third degree on Tuesday, September 29, 1903. Meets at Adams and Central avenue.

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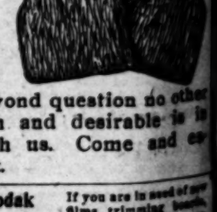
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CASH BALM FOR WOUNDS.

Alleged Offer of Griffith to His Injured Wife.

Thirty-five Thousand Dollars In Settlement of Everything.

Prosecution Claims That Shooting Grew Out of Demand for Accounting.

Joseph Mesmer, brother of Mrs. Griffith J. Griffith, states that Col. Griffith's attorneys have offered Mrs. Griffith's attorneys $35,000 cash in settlement of all property matters between husband and wife.

It is understood that if, by the acceptance of this $35,000 tender, the property contest is amicably settled out of court, Mrs. Griffith will not appear against her husband in the criminal proceedings for assault to murder. And it is further understood that the wife shall not be hindered in her suit for divorce and guardianship of the minor son.

Ever since the shooting of Mrs. Griffith by her husband the public query has been: "What was the motive?" and in the twenty-five days of interval little, if any, light has been shed on the problem. The wounded woman, who is still an inmate of a hospital, has not attempted to give to the public any statement as to the motive; and Col. Griffith has maintained his story that the shooting was an accident.

There now develops information which leads to the theory that back of the shooting of Mrs. Griffith by her husband lay his fear and belief that unless extreme measures were adopted she would force him to give back to her a portion of her original wealth, of which he got possession a few days before their marriage, and that she might also seek divorce from him and obtain legal possession of their child. It is understood that the prosecution will endeavor to show this at the trial of Col Griffith for assault to murder—if the case ever comes to trial.

A statement just made by the wounded wife to an old friend, and subsequent inquiry among members of Mrs. Griffith's family and Col. Griffith's acquaintances, cumulate as follows:

For some months preceding the shooting, Mrs. Griffith, at intervals, pressed her husband for a statement of the property which he obtained largely through the use of her personal moneys, and for a settlement upon her of a just share of that wealth. The colonel from time to time put her off with the assurance that he was merely waiting until he got a final settlement from Easton, Eldridge & Co., real estate firm which bought the Briswalter tract from the Briswalter Land and Water Company, which latter concern is understood to represent in its holdings practically all of Griffith's wealth.

But Easton, Eldridge & Co. had, as a matter of fact, paid to the Briswalter Land and Water Company all but a small portion of the purchase price of the Briswalter tract; and still Col. Griffith made no accounting to his wife. Again she pressed him, in fairness to herself, their son and her sister Lucy—now Mrs. Charles L. Whipple, who has never yet received any portion of the Briswalter legacy which was "absorbed" from Mrs. Griffith by Col. Griffith—to make an accounting and settle on her (Mrs. Griffith) her due; and again he put her off.

It is understood that (granted there is a trial) the prosecution will claim, and seek to show, that Griffith sought to murder his wife in order to free himself from her importunings for a settlement, and to possess himself absolutely of all of the property; and having in view the further fact that in October of this year there is due Mrs. Griffith, from her father's estate, $13,000 (cash,) which would pass practically into his possession as trustee of his minor son in case Mrs. Griffith died in the interim. Further, that though Col. Griffith has been classed as a millionaire, his entire wealth does not exceed $200,000; that nearly, if not all, of this is in real property; that he was sorely in need of ready money with which to defray private and family expenses (said to approximate $600 a month,) and to "keep up a front," and to carry his recent venture in the tile-manufacturing business.

There is a strong feeling on the part of certain of Mrs. Griffith's family—and this is expected to crop out in the form of testimony at the trial—that the shooting of Mrs. Griffith was the climax, partly of a cold-blooded plan and partly of an exceedingly wrought-up state of mind on the part of Griffith, brought about largely by the property dissensions referred to. Be this as it may, one significant fact stands forth, that Col. Griffith, through his attorneys, is trying to forestall prosecution on the charge of assault to murder by offering to pay to his wounded wife $35,000 cash as a settlement; and in this connection it is understood that no hindrance shall be interposed to her securing a divorce, and that in the event of divorce she shall have possession of the son, Vandell, aged 15.

Asked where Col. Griffith would get the $35,000 cash, a member of Mrs. Griffith's family replied: "I do not know, but I see no other way than for him to place mortgages on his property."

"You mean the property owned in the name of the Briswalter Land and Water Company?"

"Yes, largely," was the reply. "The stock of the Briswalter Land and Water Company comprises 10,000 shares, at $10 a share. Of this, twenty shares are owned in blocks of five shares; the remaining 9980 shares are owned by Griffith."

GRIFFITH WEDDING BREAKFAST.

The inside history of how Griffith J. Griffith, suitor, obtained the legal ownership of the $250,000 worth of property—which later reached a valuation of $940,000—owned as a legacy by his bride-to-be, Miss Mary Agnes Christina Mesmer, has never been told in print. The following account, vouched for by a member of the family, is interesting in the extreme:

Along in the middle sixties, soon after Griffith had sold to the city the water rights which gave him his first fortune of $60,000, he became acquainted in a small trade way with Louis Mesmer, then doing a furniture business on North Main street, which at that time was the very heart of the mercantile district. Mesmer, presently, invited Griffith to his home, and there Griffith became acquainted with Miss Mary Mesmer, now his wife.

Old Andrew Briswalter had died not long before, leaving a considerable fortune in property. In his will was a clause leaving to "Catherine Mesmer, daughter of Louis Mesmer," property valued at a quarter of a million.

But there was no "Catherine Mesmer." The presumption always has been that Briswalter meant to make Mrs. Louis Mesmer his legatee, he and she having been lifelong friends, but that a slip in the name was made in the drawing of the will. Or, he may have wished to leave the handsome gift to one of Mrs. Mesmer's daughters, as the document recited, ". . . . daughter of Louis Mesmer." But the daughters' names were Mary and Lucy—not "Catherine."

So in family council it was thought best that the two daughters, Mary and Lucy, should share the property, and Joseph Mesmer, as the eldest son, was entrusted with the privilege of deciding the mode of administration. He named his sister, Mary, who was then of age, as the beneficiary, she to have and hold the $250,000 worth of property, and with the understanding that Lucy, then a minor, should share eventually.

It was at this time that Griffith J. Griffith, then a young man and of some importance as possessor of the $50,000 water-rights payment, crossed the Mesmers' track. The estate of Andrew Briswalter was in litigation, or in process of settlement, and Griffith openly remarked, again and again, that if he were in a position to handle the Mesmers' $250,000 legacy he could secure a settlement in no time.

Next came the announcement that Griffith and Miss Mary Mesmer were betrothed. At once Joseph Mesmer asked his sister if she had explained to Griffith that one-half of the Briswalter legacy belonged in right to her sister Lucy. She replied that she had not, and that, at any rate, that was no concern of Griffith's. He insisted that she tell him, and finally she did.

Immediately the engagement was broken off.

Mrs. Louis Mesmer, as a devout Roman Catholic, looked upon a betrothal as a contract scarcely less sacred and binding than marriage, and when told of the breaking of the engagement she was profoundly distressed. As weeks passed she, to use the words of one of the family, "cried by night and wept by day," and finally it was feared that unless the engagement were resumed her health would break and her reason be affected.

But Griffith would not consent unless the whole of the $250,000 stood in Miss Mary's name, and he imposed the additional requirement that the deed thereto be transferred to him. He said it was not that he wanted the property, but that he wished to feel sure that after marriage there would be no interference with his wife's money on the part of her family.

To avoid going too deep into family details, suffice it to say that Louis Mesmer was induced to take from his safe the deed to the legacy property and surrender it to his daughter. And on February 17, 1886, Griffith J. Griffith and Mary Agnes Christina Mesmer were wedded.

At the wedding breakfast that day, even before the guests had completed the meal, Griffith rose and excused himself, saying that he must go and bid good-by to several friends before embarking on the honeymoon trip.

A subsequent examination of the Courthouse records showed that instead of bidding adieus, Griffith had slipped across the street to the Courthouse (which then was situated where the Bullard Block now stands,) and, within six minutes of leaving the wedding breakfast, caused the $250,000 deed to be transferred from the name of Mary Mesmer to that of her brother, Tony Mesmer, and from the name of Tony Mesmer to the name of Griffith J. Griffith. Then he returned to his bride and the wedding party.

It is said that the settlement of the Briswalter estate cost the Mesmer contingent $58,000, and that Griffith urged—in substantiation of his demand that the deed be transferred to his name—that he had mortgaged his property for that amount in order to pay the claim.

Of Tony Mesmer, it is stated that this representation on the part of his sister's fiancé, coupled with the desire to calm his mother, induced him to join forces with Griffith, and to advise his sister to submit to the transference of the deed to himself and thence to Griffith. It is also stated that Griffith presented Tony Mesmer with a gold-headed cane and a silk hat, and opened several bottles of wine incidentally.

THE TITLE MIX-UP.

Since that day seventeen years ago, when the Briswalter legacy passed from the legal possession of the Mesmer family to that of Griffith J. Griffith, the property—or what may be left of it—has passed through such a maze of technical-ownership shifts that for Mrs. Griffith to now obtain adequate redress in the courts would be indeed a laborious undertaking. This consideration, it is thought, has to do with the fact that her attorneys consented to weigh her husband's cash offer of $35,000, instead of rejecting it peremptorily.

SPECTACULAR PARADE.

The Ringling Bros.' Elephants Will "go 'round and 'round" Tomorrow and the Bands Will Clash.

The street parade of the Ringling Bros.' shows, scheduled for tomorrow morning, promises to be a spectacular affair, boasting of nearly three miles of wondrous features. The pageant will start at 9 o'clock. The thousand or more people employed—men, women and children—all the horses, the 108 animal cages and lairs, with most of the animal dens open, the herd of forty elephants, handsomely-garbed women riders, twenty-five tableau floats, with characteristic groups of the people of other nations, mounted soldiers and bands, conceited and beribboned ponies, and a lot of other things of novelty and interest, will have place in the procession.

"Jerusalem and the Crusades" is the name of a dramatic spectacle which will precede the ring performance. The romantic story of the crusades is told in three scenes, and the scenery of the theater, magnified to enormous height and width, is used to make the story most interesting. Twelve hundred characters, 200 choristers, 200 dancing girls, 2000 costumes, and original music, indicate magnitude of this innovation. In the circus bill there are over 300 acts. The best in mid-air achievements, high-wire feats, etc., will be seen, interpreted by the pick of the circus profession. Many of the artists are from foreign lands, and have never been here before.

The Ringling shows will give two performances daily—at 2 and 8 p.m., Wednesday and Thursday.

AT NEW YORK HOTELS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At the Murray Hill, Mrs. S. W. Ferguson; at the Manhattan, W. W. E. Little; at the Everett, P. J. Keeler; at the Grand Union, F. H. Butcher; at the Grand, A. F. M. Strong and wife; at the Park Avenue, J. Chase of Pasadena; at the Manhattan, A. A. Libby; at the St. Denis, H. F. King and wife.

CASHIER REED IS FUGITIVE.

Accused of Embezzlement of Five Thousand Dollars.

Filled Out Signed Checks and Went Off with Money.

Was Trusted to the Limit. Left Wife and Seven Children Behind.

J. Weller Reed, cashier of the California Fruit Canners' Association, a man who was looked upon as a veritable model of virtue, is a fugitive from justice.

Yesterday the police were preparing pictures of him to be scattered all over the State, asking the first officer who sees him to arrest him as an embezzler. Reed and $4950 or more of the funds of the corporation have eloped. Yesterday a warrant issued for his arrest from the Los Angeles Police Court.

He was last seen Saturday when he cashed a check for $3750 at the Farmers' and Merchants' Bank. He told his associates at his office that he was going out for three-quarters of an hour, but he failed to come back. When he did not appear at his home Saturday night his wife was alarmed. His relatives came to the police station and notified the detectives of his supposed mysterious disappearance.

The method of Reed's alleged embezzlement is extraordinary. He was so trusted that the management left him blank signed checks. He filled them and skipped out.

J. WELLER REED.

It must be understood that the California Fruit Canners' Association is an amalgamation having factories all over the State. It is in a way a fruit trust. Reed was the cashier of the Los Angeles branch. Its superintendent is E. H. Kennedy.

IT WAS EASY.

The local bills of this branch were paid by checks on the Farmers' and Merchants' Bank. The checks had to be signed by Kennedy and countersigned by Reed. As it was a nuisance to have to wait until both were in the office together before a check could be cashed, Kennedy got into the way of signing blank checks when he went away from the office, leaving Reed to fill them out.

A few times in the past, Reed has called his attention to the stubs of the check book in which certain checks were marked "void." Kennedy thought nothing of this. Reed said he had sent the checks to the San Francisco office according to custom, and explained why they were void for trifling irregularities. Kennedy thought it was all right.

Last Saturday morning Kennedy signed, as usual, several checks. "Better leave a couple more," said Reed. Kennedy did so.

Reed went on about his usual business until noon, then he went out. It has since developed that he went to the Farmers' and Merchants' Bank, with a check for $3750. The bank officers said it would be ready for him in the bills of $50 and $100 that he wanted at 2 o'clock. He went back to work. Just before 2 o'clock he left the office again. It was then he said he would be back in three-quarters of an hour.

When he did not return, his desk was opened. In it were found two checks returned from the bank as paid. One was for $209 dated September 14. The other was for $3750, dated on the following day. Out of the latter he paid $1750 on the pay roll. This left him $1000 on that check. With other misapplied checks his alleged shortage amounts to $4950 or more.

State Superintendent Jackson of the association arrived on the Owl yesterday and will immediately expert the books.

Reed has been fourteen years in the employ of the company (beginning before it became a part of the association.) He was looked upon as a man of a thousand for honesty. He did not smoke, drink nor gamble. He has a wife and seven children at No. 390 Macy street. He always came to work at 7 in the morning and remained at his desk until late into the night.

JACKSON SURPRISED.

State Superintendent Jackson said in a interview yesterday:

"Reed has been a trusted employé of the establishment for years, and it is utterly unaccountable how a man with a wife and seven children could make such a mistake.

"Time? Oh, there wasn't much time to it. He took $3750 of it on Saturday and as far as we have discovered, the loss amounts to about $5000. His 'method' required very little method. He was a trusted employé, and when the superintendent had to go off for a few days at a time, it was his custom to countersign checks and leave them in Reed's hands so that he could pay for the fruit delivered at the cannery without subjecting people to unnecessary delay. All Reed had to do was to make the checks payable to bearer and go to the bank for his money.

"On Saturday he went away from the cannery saying he would be back in three-quarters of an hour, but as he failed to come, suspicion was aroused. Inquiry at the Farmers' and Merchants' Bank developed the fact that he had gone to the bank early in the day, drawn out $3750 and left his bank book to be balanced, saying that he would like to have it as soon as possible. He was told he could get it at 2 o'clock and he called about that time and got it.

"The supposition is that he destroyed the canceled vouchers he received from the bank so that we could not tell how the money had been drawn. It will be several days before we have gone over all the books.

"I think his steal will amount to between $5000 and $6000 when the returns are all in. Our company offers a reward of $500 for his apprehension.

"The last trace we had of Reed was on Macy street Saturday. He was seen to board a Monrovia electric car and we think he went to Monrovia and there took the Santa Fé Overland."

MISSING SINCE WEDNESDAY.

Relatives of George DeForest Fear He May Have Been the Victim of Foul Play.

George DeForest, formerly an employé of the Southern Pacific Roalroad Company, but more recently a bartender at the "Louisville" saloon, No. 115 South Main street, has been missing since Wednesday of last week, and his relatives are greatly concerned as to his safety.

He resided with his wife at No. 534 South Hill street, and on the day mentioned he left home early in the morning intending to go to his place of employment. He did not go there, and no person has been found who saw

GEO. DE FOREST.

him after he left home. His wife made inquiry of his employer in the evening, and learned that he had not been at work that day. The next day she visited a number of persons who knew her husband intimately, but none of them had seen him.

Subsequently she reported to the police department, and for several days the officers have been trying to find the missing man, but without result. Mrs. DeForest has stated to the officers that she knows of no reason why her husband should have left home, nor can she assist them by giving any clew to what might have induced him to depart so suddenly. She says he is not a drinking man, and when she last saw him there was nothing about his manner to indicate that he intended to disappear.

DeForest is 34 years of age, 5 feet 5 or 6 inches in height, weighs about 117; has dark hair, light, sandy mustache and blue eyes. When he left home he wore a navy blue coat, black trousers and a flat-top straw hat.

PERSONAL.

William Loud, Sacramento's genial boniface, is stopping at the Hollenbeck.

Frank F. Stone, the sculptor, has just returned from a thirteen weeks' tour of Europe, with his family.

W. C. Mendenhall of the United States Geological Survey, Washington, D. C., is registered at the Van Nuys.

George L. Baker, proprietor of the Baker theater company, returned to Portland, Or., yesterday. Fred L. Piper succeeds him in the business management in Los Angeles.

Mrs. R. H. Flashpoller, wife of one of the New Orleans merchant princes, is visiting in the city, a guest at the Angelus.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Trowbridge of San Francisco, have apartments at the Angelus. Mr. Trowbridge is president of the Owl Drug Company.

Hon. George P. Blair, former Territorial Representative in Congress, now interested in the railway development of Southern Mexico, is registered at the Broadway Van Nuys from Mammoth, Ariz.

Charles C. Fife, for five years general freight and passenger agent of the Los Angeles Pacific Railway, has resigned his position to take the presidency of the St. Louis World's Fair Moving Picture Company. Mr. Fife enters upon his new duties October 1.

Owing to the resignation of Commander H. Miner of Gov. Pardee's staff, thus leaving a vacancy in the special examining board, orders have just been issued by the commander-in-chief, appointing Ensign E. J. Louis of this city to succeed Capt. Miner. Mr. Louis has also been ordered to report at Santa Barbara next Thursday evening to assist in the examination of the newly-elected officers of the Sixth Division of the Naval Militia.

GOT IT FROM INSANE MAN.

Luther Brown Had Property Deeded to His Father.

Attorney Gibbs Charges it is Case of Extortion.

Old Morehouse's Friends Trying to Save Him from Being Stripped.

Yesterday G. A. Gibbs, a Pasadena attorney, petitioned the Superior Court that Walter J. Lawrence of Pasadena be appointed guardian of P. J. Morehouse, who was sent to the Highland Asylum about two weeks ago, adjudged insane. Lawrence has been a lifelong friend of the Morehouse family.

This petition is to have its hearing this morning at 10 o'clock, and if granted, Attorney Gibbs will at once file suit for the recovery of property which, he asserts, was extorted from Morehouse and fraudulently deeded to William P. Brown, father of Luther G. Brown, "ex-mayor of Fairhaven City, Goodhope Bay, Alaska," who assisted as counsel in defending the insane man.

Morehouse is a man 64 years old, and came to California two years ago for his health, being afflicted with asthma. He has lived in Iowa for many years and has two sons and two daughters in that State. The old gentleman came here expecting to either die at once or spend the rest of his days in this sunny clime, and brought all his worldly possessions along.

Shortly after arriving, a wide-awake real estate agent got hold of him and convinced him that $2000 invested in fifty feet frontage at No. 1222 Temple street would bring him a fortune, as there were two oil wells on the property. He bought the land.

Last May Morehouse was charged with the rape of a negro girl 12 years old and a white girl of 16, who lived in his neighborhood. He was tried before a jury and about two weeks ago, after having served nearly five months in jail, was adjudged insane and sent to Highlands.

On July 31 this property at No. 1222 Temple street was deeded by the old man to the father of Luther G. Brown. The deed was acknowledged by Brown, who went to the jail for that purpose, and the following day it was recorded. Six days later a mortgage of $1000 was taken on the property, "making in all," it is claimed by Attorney Gibbs, "$1150 cash, which Luther Brown under the guise of his father has procured for legal services rendered in connection with this trial."

The fact that this property had been deeded to the father of Luther Brown, when there did not appear to be any indebtedness by Morehouse to Brown's father, is the cause of the investigation which is demanded in the courts. J. Weber, son-in-law of Morehouse, has come from Iowa to carry through a complete investigation of what he declares to be a case of extortion.

The jury believed that the poor old man was insane, and it is asserted by Attorney Gibbs that, being insane, he could not convey title to the property, and on these grounds the guardian, Walter J. Lawrence, will attempt its recovery.

It is asserted that all the money which Morehouse had at the time of his arrest, about $150, was taken from him; that he was persuaded to deed the property over to the father of Luther Brown and that a further claim of $500 is lodged against him for legal services.

"It is not the amount of the fee which is objected to, although it represents the old man's all," said Attorney Gibbs, "but the method by which the property was procured." The property is held at a valuation of $2500, and it is claimed that $2300 has been offered for it, and the sale is now pending. A. S. Beckingsale of this city holds the mortgage on it for $1000.

BIDS OPENED.

The only business transacted by the Board of Water Commissioners yesterday was the opening of bids for furnishing the department with another powerful pump. The specifications call for a pump which is to be practically a duplicate of the huge one just placed in the shaft at the Buena Vista reservoir to pump the water from the infiltration gallery. The duty of the new pump will be to force water into the reservoir on the hill above the Sisters' Hospital, as a relief or auxiliary to the old pump which is running constantly day and night. It is to be installed by April 1 and is estimated to cost about $25,000. The following bids were received and referred to the Supply Committee, which will make its award today at noon: Allis-Chalmers Company, $33,500; L. Booth & Son, $25,485; Tracy Engineering Company, $32,187; Machinery and Electric Company, $24,872; Risdon Iron Works, $27,800; Baker Iron Works, $26,775; George E. Dow, $35,000.

POOR FOOL THIEF WOULD JOB CHIEF.

SOME ignoramus who stole a poor widow's purse is the latest person to attempt to discredit Chief Elton.

Yesterday The Times received in an envelope dated Los Angeles, a check on the Southern California Savings Bank signed by Libbie C. Parker. The amount was $100 and was payable to "Chief Elton and Capt. Auble."

On the face of it the check looked as though it meant to convey in some manner a hint of blackmail money having been paid. Such was undoubtedly the intention of the stupid bungler sending the missive.

The writing on the body of the check and on the envelope were the same, but the signature at the foot of the check was totally different in its characteristics.

The true history of the check is this: Last Friday morning Mrs. Libbie C. Parker, a widow of 50 years, living at No. 735½ Ottawa street, was in the Ramona Hotel at Third and Spring streets, where an auction sale of furniture was going on.

She laid her purse for an instant on a piece of furniture and later was about to reach out her hand to get it when she saw that it was gone. While she turned momentarily, a thief had snatched up the purse.

Although she knew it had been stolen, and undoubtedly by a person who had been waiting such a chance, she was unable to imagine who the culprit was.

The purse contained two $20 gold pieces, $5 in silver, a house key and the Southern California Savings Bank blank check, with Mrs. Parker's name signed.

With the $45 in his pocket, the thief was probably too well satisfied with his work to try to fill in his name and an amount on the check, fearing, no doubt, that he might be detected.

Instead he made out the check for $100 payable to "Chief Elton and Capt. Auble," and mailed it to The Times.

Half an hour after she missed her purse, Mrs. Parker notified the bank not to make payment on any check that she did not herself present, and also sent word to police headquarters telling of her loss.

Mrs. Parker stated yesterday that she was positive her purse had been stolen. "I signed the blank form," said she, "before I left home, as it is inconvenient to write with one's gloves on. I intended to make some purchases and would have had the person receiving the check fill in his name and the amount."

PUBLIC SERVICE.—OFFICIAL DOINGS.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

The City Attorney presented to the Council yesterday an ordinance designed to prohibit the growth of weeds and the accumulation of rubbish on vacant lots.

A bid for the construction of a cement stairway at the west end of the Third-street tunnel was accepted by the Council yesterday.

The map of Clark & Bryan's Westmoreland tract was approved by the Council.

The sale of a franchise for a street railway on Moneta avenue was ordered by the Council.

It was voted in the Council yesterday to supply municipal employés with car tickets, good during business hours.

Negro Perkins was sent to jail for ninety days for a bloody assault on the husband of his paramour.

Downey petitioned the Supervisors in vain for a saloon license.

Ed Moote, a crippled little hobo, was sent to the insane asylum.

AT THE CITY HALL.

SEEKS TO RID CITY OF WEEDS AND RUBBISH.

ORDINANCE PRESENTED TO THE COUNCIL YESTERDAY.

Measure Prepared by the City Attorney at Request of the Los Angeles Realty Board—Makes it a Misdemeanor for Owners to Allow Growth of Weeds.

There is now a probability that the Council at its next session will pass an ordinance designed to abate the weed nuisance and to prevent the accumulation of rubbish on vacant lots.

Last week the Los Angeles Realty Board succeeded in convincing the Committee on Legislation that there is need for such an ordinance, and the Council directed the City Attorney to present a draft of a measure for consideration.

The proposed ordinance was submitted yesterday and referred to the Committee on Legislation, where it will be thoroughly reviewed. The measure makes it a misdemeanor to allow weeds of a dangerous nature to grow on city lots and holds the owners, tenants and responsible parties to account. The full text of the proposed ordinance, which is made an emergency measure, is as follows:

THE PROPOSED ORDINANCE.

Section 1. That the growth or existence upon the sidewalk of any public street, or upon any premises abutting thereon, or bushes, hedges, or trees, which in any manner interfere with or obstruct the passage of pedestrians or vehicles along such sidewalk or street, and the growth or existence upon the sidewalk of any public street, or upon any premises abutting thereon, of weeds whose seeds are bewinged or of a downy nature and are scattered by the winds, and the growth or existence upon any premises of weeds, which, by decaying or burning, might endanger health or property, and the depositing or accumulation of rubbish, trash, garden refuse, tree trimmings, ashes or tin cans upon premises, are each hereby declared to be a nuisance.

Sec. 2. Whenever any bush, hedge or tree upon the sidewalk of any public street, or upon any premises abutting thereon, interferes with or obstructs the passage of pedestrians or vehicles along such sidewalk or street, the Chief of Police shall give written notice to the owner, tenant or person having charge or control of the abutting premises to abate such interference or obstruction by trimming such bush, hedge or tree, and it shall be the duty of such owner, tenant or person having charge or control of said premises to trim such bush, hedge or tree within five days after the service of said notice.

Sec. 3. Whenever there shall be growing or existing upon the sidewalk of any public street or upon the premises abutting thereon, any weed whose seeds are of a winged or downy nature and are scattered by the winds, the Chief of Police shall give written notice to the owner, tenant, or person having charge or control of the abutting premises, to remove such weeds, and it shall be the duty of such owner, tenant or person having charge or control of said premises to remove such weeds within five days after the service of said notice.

Sec. 4. Whenever there shall be growing or existing upon any premises any weeds within 150 feet of any residence or wooden building or structure, the Chief of Police shall give written notice to the owner, tenant or person having charge or control of said premises, to remove such weeds, and it shall be the duty of such owner, tenant or person having charge or control of said premises to remove such weeds within five (5) days after service of said notice.

Sec. 5. It shall be unlawful for any person to throw or deposit any rubbish, trash, garden refuse, tree trimmings, ashes, or tin cans, or any other offensive or nauseous substances upon any premises in the city of Los Angeles, or for the owner, tenant or person having charge or control of any premises in said city, to suffer to be or remain thereon any rubbish, trash, garden refuse, tree trimmings, ashes or tin cans, or any other offensive or nauseous substances.

Sec. 6. Any person or persons who shall violate any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by a fine of not more than $100, or by imprisonment for not more than fifty days in the City Jail, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Sec. 7. That all ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

DUNN'S PROTEGE.

BECKER GETS FRANCHISE.

"He must have been taking lessons from Billy Dunn," exclaimed McAleer when H. H. Becker presented a bid of $105 for a burglar-alarm franchise yesterday morning.

W. D. Hamman was the only other bidder. He offered $90 for the privilege, and made no further attempt to get the franchise.

"Are there any other bids?" queried Davenport, who was acting as president of the Council. "Will any one raise Mr. Becker's bid?"

No one offered to bid, and McAleer made the observation already quoted, supplementing it by a motion that all bids be rejected. Before this motion was put Becker raised his bid to $150, the amount expended by the city for advertising the franchise for sale.

Another motion to reject all bids was made, but before the question could be put Becker came forward with a bid of $500. This offer proved satisfactory to the Council and at the afternoon session the award was made to Becker. The franchise is so drawn that all wires outside the conduit district must be strung on existing poles.

Henry H. Becker, the successful bidder is associated with Frank M. Bagley in the management of the California District Messenger Company.

The franchise gives the company the right to transmit electric signals from banks, business houses and residences. A burglar alarm when transmitted to the central office is to be at once communicated to the Police Station.

THEY GET TICKETS.

TRANSPORTATION PROBLEMS.

Perhaps the transportation problem as related to city employés has been solved. Yesterday the Council voted to buy special books for city employés subject to certain conditions and restrictions and only good during working hours.

J. B. Holloway, boiler inspector, sent to the Council a communication in which he represented that it was impossible for him to carry the implements necessary for testing boilers around on a bicycle and keep up with the work. He said the office had fallen several hundred dollars behind because he was refused transportation by the railway company.

At the afternoon session Chairman Skilling of the Finance Committee presented a motion, which was adopted, providing "that the Supply Committee be authorized to procure tickets from the various street-railway companies for the use of such employés of the different city departments as may be agreed upon between the said Supply Committee and the heads of the various departments, said tickets to be good only between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. of each day except Sunday, and to be good only when signed by the chairman of the Supply Committee, the head of the department and by the person using the ticket; said tickets to be paid for from money already appropriated for the use of the respective departments."

RAILWAYS MAY SPRINKLE.

ITEMS FROM COUNCIL SESSION.

A resolution was introduced in the Council yesterday asking that the City Attorney furnish an opinion as to whether it would be competent for the city authorities to require the street railway companies to sprinkle between the tracks and for two feet on each side, or that portion of the street which they are required by the terms of their franchise to keep in repair. The plan of sprinkling the entire street from tank cars is also under consideration.

If the street railway companies can be compelled to sprinkle a portion of the streets over which they run it may be possible to secure from them an agreement whereby the entire street can be sprinkled at minimum cost. Even if the companies sprinkle only the center portions of the streets a considerable saving will be effected. It seems very probable that the City Attorney will give an opinion in favor of the city.

To the Board of Public Works was referred a protest from Pico Heights residents against the maintenance of a yard for horses on Sepulveda street between Berendo and Dewey streets by Charles Stansbury. The yard in question is one of the four sprinkling wagon depots in the city. A number of residents of the section were at the City Hall yesterday morning to urge the removal of the contractor's yard to some other locality.

Contractor L. F. Ledbetter was awarded the contract for the repair of the Seventh-street bridge on a bid of $6057 and a contract for the construction of a culvert on Western avenue for $674.60.

The contract for the construction of the addition to the City Hall intended for the use of the health department was awarded to C. Anderson & Sons on a bid of $4427. McNab & Co. presented the only other bid, offering to build the addition for $1965.

Charles Stansbury was granted sixty days' additional time to complete his contracts for the improvement of Avenues 53 and 66, and George Rheinchild was given ninety days more time on the improvement of Avenue 61.

At the request of the Council the Mayor returned without his signature the ordinance providing for the exclusion of bulls from the district included in the city limits. The ordinance was referred back to the Committee on Legislation for further consideration.

The Council authorized the employment of an architect to draw plans and specifications for a first-class enginehouse at the corner of Jefferson street and McClintock avenue.

The Council granted the request of the Board of Health for the employment of a bacteriologist and on recommendation of the Finance Committee set apart $75 a month for the purpose.

The City Engineer was instructed to present plans and estimates for the protection of the central intercepting sewer from Boyle Heights and East Los Angeles, where it crosses the river.

Because of the rains the Council has decided not to oil any more streets at the present time. The fund set apart for the purpose has been practically exhausted and now that the dust has been laid the demand for oiled streets will not be so great. A petition to have Fifty-fifth street from Central to McKinley avenue, oiled was filed.

A. P. Pusich was the lowest bidder on the contract for sewering San Julian street at 98 cents a lineal foot and B. Derania was the low bidder for sewering Kern street, at $1.14 a foot.

A protest against the maintenance of a stable belonging to Charles Stansbury on California street between Bunker Hill avenue and Figueroa street was filed with the Council yesterday. It is alleged that the stable constitutes a serious nuisance. The protestants say: "Both day and night unbearable odors coming from this nuisance disturb and offend our homes and families. We refer you to the city Health Officer and beg you to cause this place to be removed from our midst." The protest bears sixty-one signatures and was referred to the Board of Public Works.

The recommendation of the Board of Police Commissioners advocating the construction of a stockade in one of the parks was referred to the Committee of the Whole. Nofziger thought the stockade should not be built in a park, but there was no further comment.

Street Superintendent Werdin was authorized to repair the paved gutters on both sides of Figueroa street from Washington to Thirty-ninth street.

An ordinance of intention to widen San Pedro street to a width of eighty feet from First to Fifth street was passed.

To the Committee on Legislation was referred a draft of an ordinance prohibiting the keeping of an animal store within fifty feet of any other building. The ordinance was drawn at the request of West First street business men, who object to a bird and animal store in the block between Broadway and Spring street.

The same committee will consider the request of merchants for permission to use electric signs projecting over the sidewalk. City Attorney Mathews reported yesterday that it is doubtful if painted signs can be excluded if illuminated signs are allowed.

CEMENT STAIRWAY.

COUNCIL AWARDS CONTRACT.

After an inspection of conditions prevailing at the west end of the Third-street tunnel by the entire Council at noon yesterday it was decided to accept a bid from J. A. Hill, one of the contractors who built the tunnel, for the construction of a cement stairway from the floor of Third street to Hope street along the south portal wall. Hill offered to do the work for $6000. His bid was irregular, but at the earnest request of citizens of the vicinity the Council authorized the work.

Bids for all improvement work were opened at 11 o'clock yesterday morning. There were no proposals for building the stairway. Once before the Council advertised the work and received no bids. At the solicitation of Councilman Farish the entire Council visited the west end of the tunnel during the noon adjournment.

H. C. Witmer, Laurence Holmes and a number of other citizens met the Council and argued the necessity for the construction of the stairway. The City Fathers thought the expense too great to be borne by the city, and suggested the formation of an assessment district. On account of the d— which would be caused by such a proceeding and the risk of protest, the citizens objected strenuously. Holmes finally wrote out a bid agreeing to do the work for $6000, and offered to post a certified check as a forfeit. He is now constructing a five-story brick-and-frame structure at the west entrance to the tunnel, and it is important to him that the stairway be built at once.

Holmes's bid was refused by the Council at the time, but it is likely that he is backing Hill, whose bid was presented, out of order, at the afternoon session of the Council.

NEW RAILWAY LINE.

MONETA AVENUE FRANCHISE.

The first franchise of importance to come up for sale since the amalgamation of the local street railway interests will be that on Moneta avenue running from Jefferson street south to the city limits. The route begins at the intersection of Main street with Moneta avenue and runs along Main street two blocks to the north end of Moneta avenue; thence southerly over Moneta avenue to Slauson avenue. Moneta avenue is just one block west of Main street and the road if built will strike the city limits one-half mile west of that thoroughfare. It is understood to be the intention of the railway company to continue the line beyond the city limits in an easterly direction to Ascot Park.

The life of the franchise as outlined in the notice of sale is thirty-three years. A bond of $10,000 will be required.

The franchise will be sold November 1.

ACCEPTS MAP.

WESTMORELAND TRACT.

By a vote of six to one, the Council approved the map of Clark & Bryan's Westmoreland tract yesterday. This tract is a small addition to the Westmoreland Place, lying between Ninth and Eleventh streets and Hoover street and a line drawn parallel to and 145 feet west of Elden avenue. For months Wesley Clark has been endeavoring to secure the approval of the city authorities to this subdivision. The first stumbling block he struck was Street Superintendent Werdin, who declared the cement work of inferior quality. Clark & Bryan were compelled to relay a considerable portion of the sidewalk before the Street Superintendent would approve the work, which, in the first instance was done without an inspector, and in defiance of the city authorities.

After Werdin approved the map the City Engineer added his check on the line and grade of the streets, and the map went to the Council for final approval. A discussion about the dedication of the streets, subject to the rights of the street railway to which Clark & Bryan deeded a right of way arose, and the point had been debated pro and con until yesterday, when by some concessions the promoters of the tract made a dedication, which was acceptable to the City Attorney.

Councilman McAleer voted against the acceptance of the map, even then, and on motion of Farish, the Council adopted by unanimous vote the following self-explanatory resolution:

"Resolved, that by the acceptance of this map it shall not be deemed a precedent for future action of this Council in accepting tracts, subject to any street railway conditions whatever, and that such dedication is not looked upon with favor by this Council."

Nevertheless the Council voted to accept the tract. The street car line in question runs along Tenth street, but all of the six streets shown on the map are subject to the same conditions.

Wesley Clark and E. P. Bryan laid out their Westmoreland subdivisions without regard for the authorities. They did not secure the approval of the Council to their map before beginning work, as is required, and their grading and cement work was done without the supervision of a city inspector. For months and months the Council has refused to consider the acceptance of the tracts, partly for these reasons and partly because the promoters so subdivided their property as to injure the surrounding owners. No regard was shown for existing street lines and in other ways the firm attempted to play a high-handed game.

In order to placate the authorities some of the cement walk is being relaid and a new map of the Westmoreland Place is being drawn so subdividing the property that some lots will front on Vermont avenue, it is said. Other changes will be made and then the map of that tract will be submitted for approval.

This tract, it is said, is also subject to the same street railway rights and the question will again come before the Council when that map is presented. The particular form of dedication attached to the map approved yesterday was signed by H. E. Huntington, and reads as follows:

"The Los Angeles Railway Company assents to the dedication for street or boulevard purposes of the strips of land shown on this map and designated thereon as Hoover street, Arapahoe street, Magnolia avenue, Elden avenue, Tenth street and Eleventh street, with the express limitation and reservation, that it and its successors and assigns have the right to construct, maintain and operate upon each of said strips of land a single or double-track electric street railway, and to erect and maintain on said strips of land poles for the purpose of carrying wires and other appliances necessary to transmit electricity for the operation of cars on such railroads; such right so reserved, shall at all times be recognized as prior and not subject to this dedication, but the rights here reserved for the purposes aforesaid, shall be at all times exercised and enjoyed by the undersigned, its successors and assigns, in like manner and subject to like restrictions, terms and condition as are prescribed for the exercise and enjoyment of the franchise for the street railroad with which the railroad tracks upon the strips of land hereby dedicated, shall be directly connected, so as to form therewith, a continuous line of street railroad. The dedication here made shall not be construed, in any manner so as to require the undersigned, its successors or assigns, to obtain any franchise from the city of Los Angeles to construct and operate a street-railway line and erect necessary poles upon any of said strips of land."

Costly Circus Parade.

To prevent the Ringling Bros.' circus from stealing a march and holding their shows just across the city line in order to avoid the payment of a license the Council passed an ordinance yesterday providing that any circus not holding a license to show in the city must pay a license of $700 for each day a parade of the city streets is made. The circus license is $700 for the first day and $500 for subsequent days, providing 50 cents is the charge. If the admission is less than 50 cents the license is $100 for the first day and $50 for subsequent days.

AT THE COURTHOUSE.

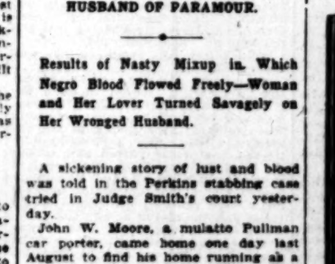
BLACK BUTCHER GETS OFF LUCKILY.

PERKINS GOES UP FOR STABBING HUSBAND OF PARAMOUR.

Results of Nasty Mixup in Which Negro Blood Flowed Freely—Woman and Her Lover Turned Savagely on Her Wronged Husband.

A sickening story of lust and blood was told in the Perkins stabbing case tried in Judge Smith's court yesterday.

John W. Moore, a mulatto Pullman car porter, came home one day last August to find his home running as a house of prostitution and his wife guilty. The usual story was reversed.



The pair of lovers were shameless and when the outraged husband came upon them, tried to murder him.

George Perkins, the woman's black lover, stabbed Moore five times, and as he sat bleeding horribly on the curbing sat bleeding horribly on the curbing across the street, where he had fled, the wife rushed out at him with an uplifted ax.

Moore lives on Ceres street. He came home early that morning. Going around the rear of the house, he saw the couple through the window. His wife heard him and came out to open the screen door. He reproached her, but she only replied sneeringly, "Well, what can you prove?"

At that moment the big black Perkins came to the door of Moore's own bedroom. Moore ordered him to leave the house and struck at him, but he only disappeared back into the bedroom.

Moore's wife yelled to her lover: "We are wrong, and don't say anything, because when men commence fighting it means blood."

But with that she began to struggle like a tiger with her husband. She broke away at last and presently came back with an ax. Moore retreated before her fury, and banged the door to. She smashed in the panels with mighty blows of her ax. Moore kept retreating back into his bedroom. As he came through the door, Perkins jumped out at him and stabbed him five times.

Knowing that his only chance was flight, Moore ran from the house bleeding like a slaughtered animal. When he got across the street, he could go no further, and sat down on the curb. His wife came running across the street at him with an ax gleaming above her head. With his strength fast going, Moore roused himself, picked up a big rock and made her stand off.

Some one then sent for the patrol wagon, and he was taken to the station for medical attention.

Yesterday Perkins claimed that he had acted in self-defense, and managed to instill so much doubt into the case that the jury disagreed.

Then Perkins pleaded guilty to simple assault, and was sent to the County Jail for ninety days, the maximum penalty.

The woman has disappeared, not coming to court yesterday.

POOR HOBO.

A HAPLESS VICTIM.

Ed Moote, a poor crippled little hobo, was sent to the insane asylum yesterday to make up for the neglect of his father. There is a stepmother in the case who would not be bothered with having him around.

Working on his father's farm, the boy lost all the fingers off one of his hands in a corn crusher. As a punishment for his loss, his father would not give money any more for his work and practically turned the boy adrift, sick and helpless, to shift for himself. When the boy took a horse that he says his father gave him once and went back again, the father had him arrested. Utterly discouraged after that, the boy went on the road and became a tramp.

The witnesses who testified at his examination yesterday, said that his insanity comes from epilepsy. This, the boy says, was caused by a blow received while working with some machinery at this same farm in Missouri.

Although he has tried to work as caddy at the Hotel Green links in Pasadena, he is incapable of earning his own living and for his protection he was sent up.

COURT NOTES.

BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

FOUGHT FOR RELIGION. Kristo Petonovich considered that in sticking a knife into the Roman Catholic carcass of Kristo Lybach he had done his duty by the Greek Church of his native Montenegro without going to State's prison for it. He was to have come up for trial yesterday in Judge Smith's court. He failed to appear and his bail was forfeited.

DRUNK WAS PARTICULAR. Because the trolley-car conductor did not take him home and put him to bed with wet towels around his head, Oscar J. Civalier has sued the Pacific Electric Company for $25,000 damages. He objects because when he boarded a Pasadena car, drunk, they let him fall off and hurt himself, rather that they let him stand on the back platform where he was liable to fall off.

DON'T KNOW WHERE. There are three Downey doctors who are in burning need of knowing the "high sign." They petitioned the Supervisors yesterday to allow J. A. Mitrovich to sell booze as they say they do not know where to get their prescriptions filled when liquor is demanded. The petition was denied as Downey is a "dry" town by the exercise of local option. The doctors who petitioned were A. J. Rowley, A. G. Haygood and E. A. Brunson.

INCORPORATED. Griffith's Munson Briquette Company. Capital stock, $100,000, subscribed, $33,400. Directors, M. L. Wicks, E. J. Griffiths, A. B. Kolton, George G. King, Charles M. Stimson.

Southern California Coöperative Store Company. Capital stock, $400,000; subscribed, $900. Directors J. W. Young, Jr. F. E. Shaw, L. D. Mallory, C. E. Le Roy, M. H. Jordan.

MAD AT ARREST. Fernando R. Olivas brought suit yesterday against Roy L. Allen for $2000 damages, alleging malicious prosecution.

WILL FORGET SHE'S A LADY. Louis Di George was fined $100 yesterday for selling liquor without a license at Ivy Station. His wife was highly indignant. "If that detective comes there again," she said, "I will forget that I am a lady."

HOLLYWOOD INCORPORATION. The election in the matter of the Hollywood incorporation was set by the Supervisors yesterday for November 14.

SOME MISTAKE ABOUT LORING'S AFFIDAVIT.

NOT IN HARMONY WITH POLICE COURT RECORDS.

Humane Officers Say that it is Chiefly Made up of Evasions of the Question. Portrait of One of the Decrepit Horses Taken from Loring.

George H. Loring takes exception to the statement of Humane Officer Zimmer that he, Loring, is "the most flagrant abuser of horses in the city," etc., and sends to The Times a sworn statement. In this statement he says:

"I have never been arrested for beating a horse, neither have I ever been taken to the Police Station on a complaint of that kind; I have never been arrested three times for cruelty to animals; I am not a flagrant abuser of horses; I am not known as a purchaser of old, worn-out horses; I have never had but one horse taken away from me and ordered killed, and there was no bunch on its knee, as stated—there was nothing the matter with its knee as falsely stated."

The statement is sworn to before E. W. Lewis, notary public.

The records of Justice Austin's court show that Loring was arrested on May 16 for cruelty to animals, the complaint being worded to cover the case of the horse that fell in the shafts at First and Broadway, when being driven by a man who had hired it from Loring. The same record shows that Loring was fined and paid $1, upon sentence of the court on May 20; the records in Justice Chambers's court show that on Saturday last he was arrested for the same offense, when he was in person driving a horse complained of, and upon his plea of not guilty, and his demand for a jury trial, the case was set for October 24.

"In both of these instances," said Officer Zimmer, "the horses were confiscated and killed by order of Dr. Edmonds, City Veterinarian. With reference to Loring's sworn statement that there was nothing the matter with the knee of the horse we took from him on Saturday, it will only be necessary to refer the reader to the accompanying picture taken of the horse just before he was killed. The other statements in his affidavit are simply evasions."

In the first case, that of May 16, Loring was arrested by Humane Officer Carpenter, who said yesterday: "Loring came in and made such a pitiful plea that he touched the heart of Dr. Edmonds, and we asked the court to give him the minimum sentence. He first said the horse belonged to a woman in Alhambra, but when we were about to go out and see about it he acknowledged that he owned the horse and begged us to let him off easy. He willingly consented to having it destroyed and even agreed to pay the stable bill."

"With reference to the Aliso-street case," said Mr. Carpenter, "both Dr. Edmonds and myself examined the horse after he had beaten it, and we found it in an awful condition. The facts are that two policemen went that way when Loring and two other men were beating the horse, and Loring was heard to say, 'I'll drive him or I'll kill him.' All three of the men were placed under arrest in the customary way, and ordered to appear at the Police Station the next day, which they did, and that is the reason Mr. Loring was never 'taken' to the Police Station, as he says. He asserted at the time that the horse belonged to the other two men and they in turn declared it belonged to Loring, and when they appeared at the station the next day they found that no complaint had been entered against them, as the officers were no doubt too busy at other things to look up the evidence in the case."

Officer Zimmer said: "Following this Aliso-street case I stopped Loring's team on Broadway one day and threatened to arrest him if he did not go back home and take out one of the horses, which was suffering so as to attract everybody's attention, and he went home and changed horses. Complaints have come to us that his stock is being starved, but we have never acted on the information."

Pete Mascuvre, a well-known horse dealer, said yesterday: "The arrest of Loring is one of the best ever made in Los Angeles and the officers ought to go down and raid his barn."

J. M. Griel, another old horse dealer, said: "I have known Loring for five years and I have never known him to drive a decent horse. He won't give more than $5 for a horse; go down on Aliso street and ask any of the dealers about him."

TRIED TO KILL HIM.

Mexican Made Deliberate Attempt to Murder Fellow Countryman in Saloon Because of Trivial Quarrel.

Rafael Garcia is a prisoner in the City Jail, charged with assault to murder, and that the charge is not that of murder is no fault of his. As a result of a trivial quarrel yesterday afternoon, Garcia made a desperate attempt to kill Felipe Verdugo, and almost succeeded.

The men were with a party of other Mexicans in the Montezuma saloon at North Los Angeles and Plaza streets, all of them more or less intoxicated. Verdugo made some statement to another member of the party which Garcia did not like, and the latter told him if he talked any more he would stick a knife into him. Verdugo answered hotly and Garcia sprang upon him, at the same time drawing a murderous dirk, with which he made a vicious lunge at his body. Verdugo threw up his arm, and the blade struck him on the back of the wrist, laying open the flesh to the bone. Before Garcia could strike again he was seized and pulled off his victim. He then ran out of the place and disappeared. An hour later he was arrested by several detectives at New High and Buena Vista streets.

DENTISTS CONFER.

Annual Assembly Largely Attended Yesterday—New Ideas in Dental Practice Exploited at the Clinics.

The largest gathering of dentists ever held in Southern California is now in two days' session at the college at Temple Block. More than 125 were present at the opening, and it is expected that others will arrive to attend today's meetings.

The principal feature of the day's programme was a paper on "Dental Jurisprudence and State Law," read by Edward C. Bailey, Esq. Mr. Bailey's paper provoked a very lively discussion, and it is probable that some sort of official action will be taken on it by the dental body. There is a feeling among the tooth surgeons that there is altogether too much red tape and cumbersome machinery about the State Dental Commission, and it is the desire of all practitioners to abolish as much of this as possible. Especially do the doctors desire to have the commission come under the civil-service rules, and to this end they, with the California Dental Association, will petition Gov. Pardee to accept from the dental societies names of men from both parties, some of whom may be selected for the appointments, thus removing the commission from the political pale.

The clinics, held in the afternoon, consumed most of the time, and served to illustrate many of the ideas of dental practice.

The evening session was principally to a paper on "Orthodontia," read by Dr. Ray D. Robinson. H. W. Moore concluded the program with remarks on "Retaining."

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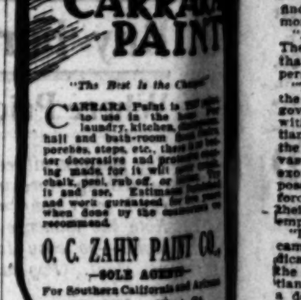

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TALKS WITH TRAVELERS.

Walter J. Deakin, recently from Beirut, Syria, is in the city, and out of an experience covering a period of four years, has much of interest to relate as to the true situation in that portion of the Sultan's realm.

Mr. Deakin scouts the idea that the attack upon Vice-Consul Magelssen came from a reckless wedding party, firing their pistols aimlessly. On the contrary, he is of the opinion that the assault was deliberate and long-premeditated, Magelssen's vigorous administration of his office and the fearless stand taken in protecting the interests of American citizens, having made his presence at Beirut offensive to the lawless authorities.

"From time to time thousands of Syrians emigrate to the United States," said Mr. Deakin yesterday, "and after accumulating a little money return to their native land. While abroad many become naturalized and prefer to hold their American citizenship. The Sultan's representatives, however, oppose such action on the ground that a Syrian cannot transfer his citizenship without a permitting 'firman' from the Sultan. Constant trouble has been the result of these counter-claims. These naturalized residents have been subjected to every form of annoyance and unreasonable exaction, the favorite method of 'baiting' being excessive taxation and all manner of fines. In nearly every instance Mr. Magelssen is appealed to and he steadfastly refuses to go back of the papers held by these persecuted people, and insists upon protecting their interests as American citizens. Thus have the Moslem authorities become incensed at the Vice-Consul, and naturally would welcome an opportunity to put him out of the way. I regard the attack upon Magelssen as a deliberate attempt at assassination.

"The enmity existing between the Christians and the Moslem element is deep-seated and perpetual. And it is a 'toss-up' as to which is the most vindictive. The city of Beirut is under Turkish rule, while the outlying territory, the hills of Lebanon, are governed by the Christians. The result is frequent conflicts, in which a greater or lesser number are killed. And if the score should not chance to be even, it is soon made so by an assassin who, crossing the line for the purpose, easily finds security from punishment the moment he is again on home territory.

"And so the merry fracas goes on. The Turk holds life cheaply, and in that he is a fatalist, cares little for personal safety.

"The country surrounding Beirut is the most fertile on earth, but a vicious government, out for the 'stuff,' and with a desire to exterminate the Christian and foreign element, has caused the 'briar' to supplant the 'fir,' and vast tracts are but a barren waste. So exorbitant have been the taxes imposed that the Christians have been forced from their possessions, while their Moslem neighbors, practically exempt from taxation, enjoy prosperity.

"During my stay in Beirut there came to my notice an incident that indicates something of the lawlessness of the authorities. The Moslem and Christian prisons are separated by a wall, a door connecting. On one occasion a prominent Turk had a desire to be rid of a certain Christian prisoner and to accomplish his ends bribed the jailor, who armed the Moslem prisoners and left the door separating the prisons unlocked. An awful massacre during the night was the result, but the matter was kept from the press and the public, and there was no one who had a sufficient interest to investigate the matter.

"Another fruitful source of trouble has been the steadfast refusal of foreigners to pay municipal taxes. Could there be any assurance that the money would get past the pockets of chief officials foreign residents would gladly bear their portion of the city's expenses. But the fact is that £900 out of every £1000 collected is misappropriated. A goodly portion of this goes to the Sultan himself. Raschid Pasha, former Governor of Beirut, deposed because of the Magelssen incident, was a great favorite with the Sultan, he being particularly active in forcing the Christians to dig up their good gold for the imperial treasury. The minor officials, however, are happy if they get a piece of silver just occasionally. Last November I was attracted to the courtyard by the playing of a band. Inquiring the cause of the jubilee I was told that the court officials were making merry over the fact thabt their salaries for the previous January had just been received."

Photograph Taken on Mr. Deakin's Porch in Beirut Last Summer. Mr. and Mrs. Deakin are the couple on the left. Over Mr. Deakin's right shoulder is Vice Consul Magelssen.

BANK'S "AT HOME."

Stockholders and Friends of the Commercial National Given Opportunity to Inspect New Quarters.

"At Home" hung on the latchstring of the Commercial National Bank of Los Angeles, and scores of shareholders and their friends inspected its fine and suitable quarters at No. 423 South Spring street. The heartiest kind of welcome was extended by the bank's officials and directors. Visitors were allowed the liberty of the institution, and certainly it did seem good to be on the "inside."

The new bank boasts of double protection, in that it is equipped with a burglar-proof steel vault of three thicknesses of five-ply steel, wherein are burglar proof safes of all description, including a reserve safe with a screw-door combination. The vault will easily accommodate in the best of security $200,000 or $400,000 in coin. The Mosler Safe Company furnished this equipment.

All other materials were purchased of Los Angeles concerns, and surely more beautiful work in brass, glass, mahogany or marble could hardly be found anywhere else.

Many ladies were present at the opening yesterday, and they were delighted (as were those of sterner sex) with the bank's private ladies' room, accessible to all women, whether patrons of the bank or not, where may be found pleasant reception quarters for reading, writing or resting, with telephone and lavatories at hand. The directors' rooms and other accommodations also display a pleasing combination of art and utility on the part of the management.

The capital of the Commercial National Bank is $200,000. Its officers are W. A. Bonynge, president; Joseph Burkhard, vice-president; C. N. Flint, cashier; Newman Essick, assistant cashier. The directors are L. N. Breed, T. J. Barkley, J. E. Carr, Joseph Burkhard, Leopold Winter, S. A. Bullfinch, W. A. Bonynge, J. W. McKinley, H. W. Chase, H. M. Russell, C. N. Flint, L. E. Shepherd, Philip Forve and Philip L. Wilson.

KILLED BY A TRAIN.

Member of Section Gang Failed to Heed Warning Whistle and Was Struck by Locomotive.

Peter Dakos, a Greek section laborer in the employ of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company, was struck by a train at Shorb station, on that road, yesterday morning, and instantly killed. With a number of other workmen he was engaged in repairing the track, and at the approach of a train took his time to get off. He miscalculated the speed of the train, after the warning whistle had been sounded, and before he could step off the track the locomotive struck him. His body was hurled fifty feet or more, and when his fellow-laborers reached his side he was dead.

The body was placed on board the train and conveyed to the Arcade Depot, and thence to Bresee Bros.' morgue, where an inquest was held yesterday afternoon. The Coroner's jury returned a verdict of accidental death, and held the train crew blameless.

JUMPED FROM FIRE.

CINCINNATI (O.) Sept. 28.—Henry Allgeir was probably fatally injured and four others hurt by jumping from windows to escape death from fire in a building on East Ninth street today.

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Prop. Van Nuys Hotel and Hotel Potter, Santa Barbara.

Ten years ago a reputable D. D. S. of Va. told me that a certain molar tooth could not be satisfactorily saved and that it would probably not be of service for one year. It has not only served me for ten years, as Dr. Schiffman saved and crowned it, and comparatively speaking without pain. I sing his praise.
I. M. ANDREWS, Pastor M. E. Church, South, Cor. 6th and Mateo Streets.

On account of some unfortunate experience I had in the extraction of my teeth I became a great coward in this respect. Today Dr. Schiffman extracted one of my very refractory teeth without causing me one particle of pain. D. K. TRASK, Judge Superior Court, Los Angeles.

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IRVING R. SMITH, L. A. Times.

Dr. Schiffman has put in almost an entire upper bridge for me. The bridge is perfect in every respect, and I can use it as well as my natural teeth. The work was promptly and painlessly done. J. F. WILL, 901 West Twelfth.

Dr. Schiffman pulled two of my wisdom teeth, and is didn't hurt a bit; on the contrary, the sensation was pleasant. GUY L. HARRISON, Vice-Pres. Herald Pub. Co.

It is with pleasure that I state that I have had several teeth filled by Dr. Schiffman, and that he killed and extracted the nerve and filled the root of one of my teeth and put on a porcelain crown, which cannot be distinguished from a natural tooth, all of which was done without pain. JUDSON R. RUSH,
Of Davis & Rush, Attorneys, 2 Rogers Blk.

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Dr. Schiffman extracted my teeth and replaced same by bridge work. He also treated and filled two teeth, which I thought were too far gone to save. The above work was all done painlessly and is perfectly satisfactory. E. A. POLLARD, 727 Central Ave.

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L. E. OSBORN, Ocean Park Postmaster.

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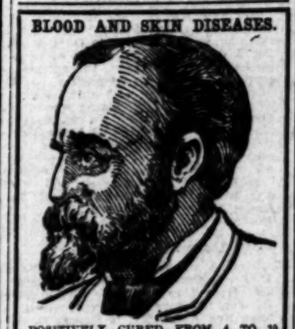

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The wedding of Miss Marian Jones, daughter of Ex-Senator Jones, which takes place today noon, at Grace Church, in New York City, is of the keenest interest to the people of this State, on account of the prominence of the young lady's family and the rare personality of this popular daughter of California. Seeing this slender, lovely girl, one can hardly realize that she was for several years tennis champion of the Pacific Coast.

Robert D. Farquhar, whom she is to marry, is a Harvard man, with his own private and particular record in athletics, having held the college championship for the broad jump in America. Rumor has it that Mr. Farquhar is a charming man. He is an architict, a graduate of the "Boston Tech," and was four years at the Beaux Arts in Paris. The young couple will spend a honeymoon of eight weeks under the blue skies of Italy, and after them will make their home in New York City.

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Coming Weddings.

This evening will witness the marriage of Miss Winifred L. Allen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Allen, of 1343 South Hope street, and James N. Hall of Los Angeles. The wedding will be at home, and one dear, romantic thing about it is, that the date of the wedding falls upon the same day of the week and of the year upon which Miss Allen's parents plighted their troth just twenty-nine years ago. Mr. Hall is the son of the late Col. M. S. Hall, who belonged to a prominent Southern family.

Miss Birdie Cecelia Dales will be married this evening to Edward W. Dorsey, at the Broadway Christian Church at 8 o'clock.

On Wednesday comes the wedding of Miss Ethel Vora Pierce to William K. Maull, at the home of President and Mrs. Pierce of the State Normal School, at 351 West Fifth street.

At the First Presbyterian Church on Wednesday evening, occurs the wedding of Miss Maude Smith and John L. Kirkpatrick.

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Presbyterian Musical.

On Friday evening, the members and friends of the First Presbyterian Church enjoyed a pleasant social musical in the church parlors. It was the first appearance of their new Sunday-school orchestra, under the leadership of Harold Simpson. The following programme was well rendered and highly appreciated, after which refreshments were served by the ladies:

"The Iron Cross," march (Isenman,) the orchestra; song, "Answer" (Robyn,) Mr. Parker; "Silver Bells," Savoite, the orchestra; reading "Rock of Ages," Mrs. H. G. Brown; violin solo, "Obertas Mazurka," Miss Carolin Montgomery; "Egyptian Midnight Parade" (Isenman,) the orchestra; song, "A May Morning" (Denza,) Harry Johnson; "Espanita," Spanish Waltz (Rosy,) the orchestra.

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Mr. and Mrs. Barham.

"Among those present" at the regular Orpheum "first night" last evening were Mr. and Mrs. Guy B. Barham, who have just arrived in Los Angeles from their wedding tour. In the olden days of bachelorhood, Barham was a regular habitué of the Orpheum, and last night he held an informal reception of his friends in the lobby.

When Mr. Barham left this city of beautiful feminity to clai man Eastern bride, many were the envious questions asked as to the charm of the woman who could thus lure him. When he appeared with his wife last night, any "Doubting Thomas" must have been silenced, as Mrs. Barham is very fair and winsome.

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Sweeny-Walsh.

The wedding of Miss Cricket E. Walsh of Los Angeles and George W. Sweeny of San Francisco took place last Thursday evening, the ceremony being performed by Rev. John Himphill. Miss Annah Day, formerly of Los Angeles, was maid of honor, and Barclay Walsh, brother of the bride, served as best man. Mr. Sweeny is one of the firm of Tillman and Bendell, and Miss Walsh is the niece of Mrs. A. H. Busch of Hollywood. Mr. and Mrs. Sweeny will reside at No. 1809 Page street, San Francisco.

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Theater Party.

A theater party was given Wednesday evening in honor of Miss Antoinette Halder of No. 1616 Wall street. After the play the party was entertained at Christopher's, where a dainty repast was served. The guests were the Misses Antoinette Halder, Lena Cloetta, Josephine Thomas, Adelaide Klef, Genevieve Bertrand, Margaret Warner, Bessie Robinette, Carmah Braderick, Anna Peppler, Bernice Eggleston, May Belle Warner, Hermaline Marmount, Patti McAtee, Lulu McLaughlin and Helen Butterly.

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Tramps Welcome.

Original and humorous was the evening spent last Friday at Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Brain's, No. 1045 West Washington. The invitations were of brown wrapping paper, and the evening was whiled away with singing, music, dancing and cake walking, the cake being won by Mr. Doss and Miss Kelsey. Mr. Smith introduced a style of dancing which carried away the prize. Miss Deming as Bopeep deserves mention. The prize, a bar of soap, for the most indigent tramp was rightly won by Mr. Eisenmayer. Supper was served and every one enjoyed the novel entertainment. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Bean, Mr. and Mrs. Eisenmayer, Mr. and Mrs. Brain, Mrs. Wilson, Miss Deming, Misses Kelsey and Messrs. Kelsey, Smith, R. A. Doss and F. H. Peifer.

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Hospitality and Hypnotism.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Heinen entertained informally Friday evening at their home, No. 1020 South Olive street. Dr. J. Jacobywitz, the guest of honor, kindly agreed to furnish the entertainment, which he accomplished to the utmost satisfaction and amusement of every one present by giving some very clever demonstrations in hypnotism. The doctor readily placed his subjects under control, making them do various queer things. Among those present were Dr. J. Jacobywitz and daughter, Dr. W. T. Covington and wife, Dr. Minnie Steinhilber, Dr. J. F. McClure, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Long, F. L. Botsford and George A. Proctor.

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Linen Shower.

Mrs. A. J. Koll of No. 1632 North Eleventh street, entertained last Thursday from 2 to 5 o'clock with a linen shower, in honor of the engagement of Miss Eva Alexander, to George G. Anderson. The several rooms were tastefully decorated with carnations and ferns. Miss Tillie Telers and Mrs. Augusta Beickard furnished music and singing. During the latter part of the afternoon guessing games held sway, Mrs. Ethel Miller and Mrs. Marie Erdman carrying off handsome prizes. Miss Alexander was the recipient of over one hundred pieces of linen.

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Dinner.

Dr. A. Havenston was the guest of honor at an elegantly appointed dinner given by Mr. and Mrs. Farr of West Twenty-fourth street. Besides the guest of honor, covers were laid for eight persons. The doctor is about to leave for an extended trip East.

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Notes and Personals.

Mrs. Bert Harmon Merchant has returned from a six months' visit in Ohio, Boston and Governor's Island, New York.

Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Martindale and family have moved into their new home on Lucas avenue between Orange and Sixth streets, where Mrs. Martindale is at home to her friends on Fridays.

Miss Lillian Reid is at the Corona Hotel, Los Angeles, instead of in Arizona, as stated in Sunday's paper.

The ladies of the Boyle Heights Presbyterian Church are planning for a bazaar in the near future.

Miss Pearl Seeley and Miss Elizabeth Drake have gone to San Francisco, where they will be the guests of Mrs. J. H. Wallace. They will also visit Mrs. E. M. Boggs of Berkeley.

Mrs. Samuel R. Zwetow of Denver, Colo., and two children, and her sister, Miss Effie Robinson of Chicago, Ill., are located for the winter at No. 14 Brookside avenue, Redlands, Cal.

Married at Hotel Netherland, New York City, Sept. 26, 1903, by Rev. Howard Duffield, D.D., Eldridge M. Fowler and Margaret A. Brewer, both of Pasadena.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Callender have returned for the winter from Coronado and Brighton Beach, to their home, No. 2315 South Hope street. Mrs. Callender will be at home the first and third Wednesdays.

Mrs. Percy Schumacher and little son left for the East on Monday evening for a three months' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Garnsey and daughter, and sister, Mrs. G. MacMillan of No. 2241 West Twenty-fourth street, have returned to the city after a two months' stay at Redondo Hotel.

Mrs. John Milner and her daughter, Henriet, have returned to the city and will reside at the Westlake Hotel for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph N. Carson have returned from Idyllwild. Mrs. Carson will receive at her home, No. 1920 Norwood street, on the first Wednesday in October.

Mrs. R. A. Dudley leaves today for New York to spend the winter.

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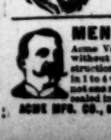

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BUSINESS.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES,
Los Angeles, Sept. 28, 1903.

FINANCIAL.

TODAY'S BANK CLEARINGS. Following is a comparative statement of the clearings of the Los Angeles clearinghouse, day by day, for the week as it ensues, beginning Monday, September 28:

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STOCK MARKET A SCAPEGOAT. The legitimate stock market interests of the country and the stock exchanges as organizations pride themselves, with justice, on the high sense of honor they maintain in conducting transactions and the tone of professional integrity which members of the latter class of institutions must preserve. They are prompt to resent and to punish infractions of this code, even though hampered by the circumstance that the primary and fundamental basis for the existence of stock exchanges is to take cognizance of and to regulate dealings between their own members. It is hard, however, to make the public understand that investment in securities of corporations and not speculation is the basis of the stock market's entire business. The latter kind of transactions are larger in volume and more conspicuous, but the ultimate governing influence in connection with the making of prices is found in the investment demand. It is not practicable or desirable for bodies exercising functions of such importance in the general economic organization of the country to interfere too much with the freedom of the market they furnish for investment and speculation alike. Still, it would seem desirable that the popular error which is referred to in the beginning of this article should be contradicted, or at any rate modified. Speculation is inevitable under modern business conditions in practically all departments of business. Its suppression in the great markets, for which some uninformed people clamor, would do more harm than good, even if it were possible to effect such a result. Furthermore, it should be recognized that the stock market in particular is often selected to bear the burden, in public opinion, of evils for which it is not responsible in any way. In fact, Wall street's code of business morals is as high as in any other line of business, while its practical and legal responsibilities are in some respects greater. Alleged losses in the stock market are, however, used with a great deal of frequency to cover mishaps, and more particularly peculations, which, when sifted down, proceed from causes of an entirely different nature.—[The Manual of Statistics Supplement for September.

COMMERCIAL.

RICE TALK. Local rice men aver that the present situation is not favorable to buyers, nor will it be for fifteen to thirty days. Last year's crop was 40 per cent. short and old stocks are all cleaned up. Samples of new crop are on hand. It is believed opening prices will be high.

CANNED STRING BEANS. A San Francisco daily paper of last Thursday reported that Rufus Lucas of Ukiah estimated the Lake county output of string beans at 500,000 cases. Says the California Fruit Grower: "It is possible that Lake county may pack 5000 cases of string beans, but 500,000 cases, never. The pack of string beans of the entire State does not exceed 20,000 cases in any one season."

NUTS VERY FIRM. Such has been the demand for our walnuts that, contrary to the general expectation, orders for practically the entire yield of 650 cars are reported to have been confirmed, says the Grocer and Country Merchant of San Francisco. The Capistrano crops, equal to 100 tons, have been sold. The market on nuts promises, therefore, to be very stiff, at least until the arrival in this country of the French crop, from the middle to the end of November. Partly in sympathy with the strength of walnuts, almonds are very firmly held. One-half of the Davisville yield, 120 tons, has been sold, and a leading New York jobbing house is advertising the Non Pareils at 15 cents.

SALMON PRICES. Opening prices have been made by the Alaska Packers' Association for Red Alaska salmon, as follows: One-pound tall in 500 case lots upon arrival, San Francisco, $1.20 per dozen and $1.32½ in less than carload lots. This price was the lowest anticipated, for the reason that none of the association's last year's pack could be purchased here, or anywhere in the United States, under $1.25. The association still quotes pink at 50 cents and medium red at 85. The price on two-pound red Alaska has not yet been fixed.

DRIED FRUITS. The demand for cured fruits is more active and shows considerable increase in volume. Quotations are unchanged but firm. There is no boom, but packers and dealers are busy and business generally in cured fruits is much more satisfactory. The important feature of the week was the sale of the block of unpeeled bleached peaches held by Porter Bros. Co., aggregating 380 tons, crop of 1902, price private. This fruit is in fine condition, and has passed into strong hands, thereby relieving the market of a round lot that has been more or less of a menace since the failure of Porter Bros. Co. This sale grossed upward of $30,000. The eastern demand is not what it should be at this time, but the weather on the Atlantic seaboard during the past week has been very hot and both New York and Philadelphia report a slack demand on that account. Prime new crop evaporated York State apples are quoted at from 5¼ to 5½ cents and firm. Private advices from the southern part of the State report the apricot crop at from one-half to two-thirds of last season's.—[California Fruit Grower.

PRUNES FIRMER. Prunes are firmer and in better demand. Packers are paying growers 2¾ cents basis for Santa Clara stock and selling on 3-cent basis for the five and six sizes provided orders do not call for too many large sizes, in that event 3¼-cent basis is asked, says the California Fruit Grower. Export orders for new prunes call for large sizes and as the crop is not grading as many large sizes as was expected early in the season, packers naturally feel that for the present they have booked as many orders as they care to for large fruit as growers are demanding a premium for 40 to 50s. Old prunes are moving freely at 2¼ to 2¾ cents for outside stock, and 2½ cents basis for Santa Clara. The members of the Farmers' Club of San José have declared themselves in favor of holding for a 2¾-cent basis for prunes. Estimates of the present crop indicate a decrease of 50 per cent. from last year's production.

GENERAL BUSINESS TOPICS

CITRUS-FRUIT SHIPMENTS. Shipments of citrus fruits from Southern California on Saturday and Sunday were 16 carloads of oranges and 5 of lemons. The total shipments for the season, from November 1, 1902, to date, are 22,084 carloads, of which number 2651 carloads were lemons.

SLACK-FILLED CANS. The warnings against slack-filled cans in the canned goods business are very numerous. A leading broker said Saturday that many buyers are fearful of having a large proportion of their early purchases in some quarters turn out bad. He said the shortage of many canning crops is partially responsible for the prevalence of the practice this year, and pointed out that it would do the trade more actual injury than anything that could possibly happen. Some of the early arrivals of canned goods in this market have proved to be slack packed. All buyers are doing their utmost to discourage the practice, but it isn't easy to prevent.—[New York Commercial.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKETS.

Rain and weather occupied the attention of produce dealers today (Monday,) and opinions as to damage done differ. One thing seems to be sure—the butter and egg situation is not affected, but beans, raisins and possibly hay and grain may be severely damaged. It is thought beans and raisins will suffer most, for the harvesting season of hay and grain has been running much longer. Two or three days of warm, clear weather, it is urged by experts, would greatly minimize all possible danger.

Ranch eggs opened the week very scarce, with stocks exceedingly hard to secure. It would have been difficult to obtain a ten-case lot from any one house.

Butter and cheese are firm.

Potatoes and onions in fair supply, with good stock firm and scarce, although coming in rather better than heretofore.

Bean situation firm on account of weather conditions and a good shipping demand for small whites.

Halibut and lobsters scarce; other fish in good supply and demand.

Game in slow receipt.

Other commodities steady at jobbing prices heretofore quoted.

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SHARES AND MONEY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Another day's liquidation in the stock market kept apprehension alive, and was as much without specific explanation as that which has gone before. The liquidation was mostly for small amounts, and came from all quarters. There was a large accumulation of these selling orders over Sunday, and there seemed to be a good deal of selling out by commission houses whose notifications to customers for additional margins had been ignored over Sunday. All the foreign centers which hold any appreciable quantity of American securities also figured in the selling. All news of a favorable tenor was ignored, and the demand was practically paralyzed except for occasional buying by uncovered shorts. The buyer who forms the complement for every seller seemed to wait for stocks to be offered to him, and made no bid. There was a considerable amount of this sort of buying, which was traced with confidence to some of the largest banking interests, who satisfied themselves with this measure of support for the market. It was not effective in preventing the sharp downward course of prices, although it may have prevented the demoralization which was feared. All three United States Steel securities lowered their record prices by wide margins, the common touching 15, the preferred 59, and the bonds 67 3-4. The pressure upon the list named was especially urgent and vigorous. The only attempt to explain this selling was a rumor that it came from that part of the membership of the syndicate underwriting the stock conversion, which plan was designed to avoid the times of the extension of the syndicate. The local traction stocks were another center of weakness, especially Metropolitan Street Railway, which fell to within a shade of par. This weakness was variously explained as due to the liquidation forced by over-extension in other quarters, and by unfavorable internal developments. Part of the selling in this stock was said to come from Philadelphia, which was also an enormous seller of Pennsylvania. The pressure upon Pennsylvania carried it down 4 1-4 at the last, and was the factor in unsettling the close. Previous to this last slump in Pennsylvania, there had been quite an effective rally all around, due to the apparent cessation to the liquidation in the United States Steel stocks. Amalgamated Copper was another stock which was severely handled, and it is suspected that the abandonment of the plan for an upward bull campaign was the cause of this selling. The news of the day was not an influence. A batch of railroads' earnings for August, which showed mostly increasing was ignored. Money rates hardened, both on call and time, but gave no indication of stringency in any case. The closing was active and irregular. Bonds were weak in sympathy with stocks. Total sales, par value, $5,655,000. United States 2s declined 1-4 per cent., and the 3s and new 4s, 1-2 per cent. on the last call.

Closing Stocks—Actual Sales.

Atchison	60¼	Southern Pacific	39¼
Atchison pfd	86¼	So. Railway	17⅞
Baltimore & Ohio	72⅝	So. Railway pfd	78½
B. & O. pfd	85	Texas & Pacific	21½
Canadian Pacific	118⅝	T., St. L. & W	16
Cen. of N. J	153	T., St. L. pfd	24½
Ches. & Ohio	27⅝	Union Pacific	67⅝
Chicago & Alton	19⅝	Union Pac. pfd	84⅛
C. & Alton pfd	59⅝	Wabash	17
Chicago & G. W	14⅝	Wabash pfd	27½
C. & G. W. "B"	24½	W. & L. E	14¼
Chicago & N. W	152	Wis. Central	15¼
Chicago Terminal	8½	Wis. Cen. pfd	34½
Chicago Ter. pfd	16	Express Co's—	
C. C. C. & St. L	68½	Adams	225
Colo. Southern	11	American	175
Colo. So. 1st pfd	47½	United States	100
Colo. So. 2d pfd	18⅜	Wells-Fargo	195
Del. & Hudson	148⅝	Miscellaneous—	
D., L. & W	235	Amal. Copper	37⅝
Denver & R. G	19⅜	Am. Car & F	22⅝
D. & R. G. pfd	67	Am. C. & F. pfd	75
Erie	24⅝	Am. Linseed Oil	9
Erie 1st pfd	63	Am. Lin. Oil pfd	28
Erie 2d pfd	44⅝	Am. Locomotive	14⅝
Great N. pfd	160	Am. Loco. pfd	81½
Hocking Valley	65	Am. S. & R	40⅜
Hock. Val. pfd	79	Am. S. & R. pfd	87
Illinois Central	126⅝	Am. Sugar R	109
Iowa Central	16⅝	Anaconda M. Co	68
Iowa Cen. pfd	32	Brooklyn R. T	29⅜
K. C. Southern	18⅝	Colo. Fuel & I	41
K. C. So. pfd	34	C. & H. Coal	10⅜
Louis. & Nash	98⅝	Con. Gas	166
Manhattan L	127	Gen. Electric	139
Met. St. Ry	109⅝	Int'l Paper	10⅜
Minn. & St. L	45	Int'l Paper pfd	60½
Missouri Pacific	88⅝	Int'l Pump	33⅝
M., K. & Texas	16⅝	Int'l Pump pfd	70
M., K. & T. pfd	35⅝	Nat'l Biscuit	35
Mex. Nat'l pfd	38	Nat'l Lead	12⅝
N. Y. Central	115	North American	68⅝
Norfolk & W	55	Pacific Mail	17
N. & W. pfd	86½	People's Gas	88⅝
Ontario & W	19	P. Steel Car	31
Pennsylvania	115⅝	P. S. Car pfd	74⅝
P. C. C. & St. L	55	Pull. Palace Car	204
Reading	42⅝	Republic Steel	9
Reading 1st pfd	70	Rep. Steel pfd	60
Reading 2d pfd	60	Rubber Goods	14⅝
Rock Island Co	22⅝	Rubber Goods pfd	63
Rock Island pfd	56	Tenn. Coal & I	31½
St. Louis & S. F	52	U. S. Leather	6½
St. L. 1st pfd	61	U. S. L. pfd	75
St. L. 2d pfd	42⅝	U. S. Rubber	9½
St. Louis, S. W	12⅝	U. S. R. pfd	36
St. L., S. W. pfd	29	U. S. Steel	15
St. Paul	135⅝	U. S. Steel pfd	59¼
St. Paul pfd	172	Western Union	81⅝

Total sales for the day, 965,100 shares.

Bond List.

U. S. R. 2s reg	107⅝	Hock. Val. 4½s	104
U. S. R. 2s coup	108⅜	L. & N. Un. 4s	99½
U. S. 3s reg	109	Man. Con. G. 4s	101⅜
U. S. 3s coup	109	Mex. Cen. 4s	71⅝
U. S. n. 4s reg	135	Mex. C. 1st Inc	12½
U. S. n. 4s coup	135	M. & St. L. 4s	98⅝
U. S. old 4s reg	111½	M., K. & T. 4s	97⅝
U. S. old 4s coup	112½	M., K. & T. 2ds	76½
U. S. 5s reg	102⅝	Mex. Nat'l Con. 4s	75
U. S. 5s coup	102⅝	N. Y. C. G. 3½s	96
Atchison, Gen. 4s	99⅝	N. J. C. Gen. 5s	127⅝
Atchison, Adj. 4s	89	N. P. 4s	101
Atlantic C. L. 4s	90	N. P. 3s	70⅝
B. & O. 4s	101⅝	N. & W. Con. 4s	97⅝
B. & O. 3½s	92⅝	Or. S. L. 4s	88⅝
Cen. of Ga. 5s	104⅝	Pa. Conv. 3½s	94⅝
C. of Ga. 1st Inc	70	Reading Gen. 4s	94⅝
C. & O. 4½s	101⅝	St. L. & I. M. 5s	111
C. & A. 3½s	73⅝	St. L. & S. F. 4s	79
C. B. & Q. n. 4s	90⅝	St. L., S. W. 1sts	92
C. M. & St. P. 4s	106	Seaboard A. L. 4s	74
C. & N. W. 7s	131⅝	So. Pacific 4s	88
C. R. I. & P. 4s	69⅝	So. Railway 5s	112⅝
C. R. I. & P. 5s	72	T. & P. 1sts	114⅝
C. C. C. & St. L	93⅝	T., St. L. & W	69½
Chicago Ter. 4s	73⅝	Union Pacific 4s	99⅝
Con. Tob. 4s	52⅝	U. P. Conv. 4s	91⅝
Colo. & So. 4s	83	U. S. Steel 2d 5s	68⅝
D. & R. G. 4s	98⅝	Wabash 1sts	113
Erie prior lien 4s	96⅝	Wabash Deb. B	52
Erie Gen. 4s	82⅝	W. & L. E. 4s	86
Fort Worth 1sts	101½	Wis. Cen. 4s	89
		C. F. & I. Con. 4s	76

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Close: Money on call steady at 2@3 per cent.; closing 2 1-4 per cent. Time money steady; 60 days, 5 1-2 per cent.; 90 days, 6 per cent.; six months, 4 per cent.; prime mercantile paper, 6@6 1-2 per cent. Sterling exchange, about steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.8615 for demand, and 4.8335@4.8340 for sixty days; posted rates, 4.83@4.87; commercial bills, 4.82 1-8. Bar silver, 59 3-8. Mexican dollars, 46. Government bonds, weak. Railroad bonds, weak.

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

Money—		Mining—	
Call loans	3@4	Adventure	4⅝
Time loans	5½@6	Allouez	4¼
Bonds—		Amalgamated	37½
Atchison 4s	97½	Daly-West	35
Railroads—		Bingham	21
Atchison	60⅝	C. & Hecla	425@430
Atchison pfd	86⅝	Centennial	15½
Boston & Albany	246	Copper Range	46¼
Boston & Maine	168⅝	Dominion Coal	86½
Boston Elevated	135	Franklin	8
N. Y. N. H. & H	193	Isle Royale	6
Fitchburg pfd	134¼	Mohawk	37⅛
Union Pacific	67⅝	Old Dominion	7
Mexican Central	10¼	Osceola	50
Miscellaneous—		Parrot	17⅛
Am. Sugar	109	Quincy	85
Am. Sugar pfd	116¼	Santa Fe Copper	1⅝
Am. Tel. & Tel	124⅝	Tamarack	82
Dom. I. & S	10	Trinity	5¼
Gen. Electric	138	United States	17⅝
Mass. Electric	17⅝	Utah	23⅛
Mass. Elec. pfd	77	Victoria	3
United Fruit	96	Winona	6
U. S. Steel	15⅝	Wolverine	60
U. S. Steel pfd	59½		
West'house Com	68½		

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28.—Today's statement of the Treasury balances shows: Available cash balance, $240,270,630; gold, $111,922,925.

London Silver.

LONDON, Sept. 28.—Consols, 87 3-4; silver, 27 3-8.

GENERAL EASTERN MARKETS.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, Sept. 28.—The demand for wheat was slack, and conditions at home and abroad were bearish. December opened 5-8 to 7-8c lower, at 76 5-8@76 7-8. Notwithstanding the bearish influences, there was a momentary bulge immediately after the opening, on buying by scattered shorts, on which December went to 76 7-8. An easier feeling engendered by the Wall street weakness soon followed, however, local commission houses and pit traders selling freely, and stop-loss orders were reported in the ensuing decline. December went back to 76 5-8@76 3-4, steadying later on by buying of elevator interests to 76 7-8@77, a net loss of 5-8c cents at the close. Corn responded readily to the bearish influences, the unsettled feeling in Wall street, fine weather and lower cables, December opening 1-2 to 7-8c lower, at 45 3-8@45 3-4. The close was a shade off the top at 45 7-8@46, a net loss of 1-4 to 3-8. Oats were dull. The close showed December off 3-4, at 36 5-8. The provisions list was strong with the exception of October pork, which showed a loss of 20c, at $11.75. Packers were the best buyers, and offerings were light, with hog prices steady. October lard closed 22 1-2c higher, at $5.75, and ribs were up 5c, at $9.25.

The leading futures closed as follows:

	Closing.
Wheat, No. 2—	
September (new)	76¼
December (new)	76⅞@77
May	78⅝@78¾
Corn, No. 2—	
September	45⅝
December	45⅞@46
May	45¾
Oats, No. 2—	
September	36¼@36½
December	36⅝
May	37⅝

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour was steady; No. 3 spring wheat, 81; No. 2 red, 76@76½; No. 2 corn, 46; No. 2 yellow, 48; No. 2 oats, 36½@37; No. 2 white, 52@58; No. 3 white, 37@39; No. 2 rye, 56@58; good feeding barley, 47; No. 1 flax seed, 97; No. 1 northwestern, 1.03; prime timothy seed, 3.07½; mess pork, per bbl., 11.70@11.75; lard, per 100 lbs., 10.45@10.50; short ribs, sides (loose,) 8.75@9.12½; dry salted shoulders (boxed,) 6.62½@6.75; short clear sides (boxed,) 8.75@9.25; whisky, basis of high wines, 1.22; clover, contract grade, 10.25.

Grain Movements.

Articles—	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	23,600	19,900
Wheat, bushels	80,600	18,600
Corn, "	398,900	171,700
Oats, "	290,100	47,100
Rye, "	5,600	1,200
Barley, "	114,000	8,500

Dairy Market.

On the Produce Exchange today the butter market was steady; creamery, 16@21½; dairy, 14@19; eggs, steady, 18@19; cheese, firm, 10⅝@11⅝.

Local Exchange.

Sales on the Los Angeles Stock Exchange yesterday were:

	Shares.	Price.
American National Bank	10	$113.00
Reed Crude	1,000	.42
Searchlight M. & M. Co	2,000	.10

New York Metal Market.

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Tin was weak both in the English and New York markets. London prices declined £3 3s to 114, 15s for spot, and $115 7s 6d for futures. Locally, the market was influenced by the foreign weakness, and it is also claimed that the closing of tin-plate mills has increased the demand for pig tin and weakened the market. At any rate, prices here lost some 75 points, closing at $25.50@25.70. There was a decline of about 7s in the London copper market, spot and futures closing there at £54, 15s. Locally, copper was quiet and nominally unchanged. Lake and electrolytic are quoted at $13.50, and casting at $13.12 1-2, though it is stated on the street that business could be done around $13.25 for lake. Lead, declining to £11 in London, was unchanged in New York at 45. Spelter was unchanged here at 60. Iron closed at 49s 6d in Glasgow, and at 42s 9d in Middlesboro. Local iron is quiet, and more or less nominal.

Chicago Live-Stock Market.

CHICAGO, Sept. 28.—Cattle—Receipts, 14,000, including 10,000 western. Market lower. Good to prime steers, $5.15@6.00; poor to medium, $3.80@5.10; stockers and feeders, $2.40@4.25; cows, $1.40@4.40; heifers, $2.00@4.75; canners, $1.40@2.70; bulls, $2.00@4.50; calves, $3.50@6.00; Texas fed steers, $2.85@4.25; Western steers, $3.00@4.40.

Hogs—Receipts today, 32,000; 10 o'clock tomorrow, 28,000. Mixed and butchers, $5.60@6.20; good to choice heavy, $5.65@6.15; rough heavy, $5.25@5.60; light, $5.70@6.35; bulk of sales, $5.65@6.00.

Sheep—Receipts, 45,000; sheep steady to lower; good to choice wethers, $3.40@4.25; fair to choice mixed, $2.25@4.40; western sheep, $2.75@4.25; native lambs, $3.50@5.65; Western lambs, $3.75@5.50.

Chicago Closing Figures.

CHICAGO, Sept. 28.—Close: Wheat, September, 76 1-4; old, 76 1-4@76 3-8; December, 76 7-8@77; old, 77; May, 78 1-8@78 1-4.

Corn: September, 45 3-4; December, 45 7-8@46; May, 45 3-4.

Oats: September, 36 1-8@36 1-4; December, 36 5-8; May, 37 5-8.

Rye: September, 56; December, 53; May, 55 1-2@56.

Flax: Cash, Northwestern, 1.04.

Timothy: September, 3.10; October, 3.05. Clover, October, $10.25; barley, cash, 45@60.

California Dried Fruits.

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—The market for evaporated apples is unchanged. Common, 4@5; prime, 5 1-4@5 3-4; choice, 6@6 1-2; fancy, 6 3-4@6 1-2. Prunes are without special feature. There is a fair demand. Prices are steady to firm at from 3 1-4@7 for all grades. Apricots steady; choice, 9 1-4@9 1-2; extra choice, 9 3-4@10 1-4; fancy, 10 1-2@12. Peaches in steady jobbing demand; choice, 7 1-4@7 3-4; extra choice, 7 3-4@8 1-2.

Visible Supply.

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—The visible supply of grain Saturday, September 26, as compiled by the New York Produce Exchange, is as follows: Wheat, 17,292,000 bushels; increase, 1,262,000 bushels. Corn, 8,326,000 bushels; increase, 419,000 bushels. Oats, 6,156,000 bushels; December, 781,000 bushels.

New York General Market.

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Wheat: Spot steady; options closed steady, net 1-2c lower. May closed 83; September closed 83 3-8; December closed 83 3-8. Hops, steady. Hides, steady. Wool quiet. Choice, spot, steady; No. 7 invoice, 5 3-8; sugar, raw, firm; refined, firm.

Elgin Dairy Market.

ELGIN (Ill.) Sept. 28.—Butter ruled firm on the Board of Trade today, selling at 21 1-2 cents per pound, the same as last week. Sales in this district for the week were 696,500 pounds.

New York Sugar Market.

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Sugar, raw, firm; fair refining, 3 3-8; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 29-32; molasses sugar, 3 5-32; refined, firm; crushed, $5.50; powdered, $5.00; granulated, $4.90; coffee, steady. No. 7 invoice, 5 5-16.

New York Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Coffee futures closed firm, net 5 to 15 points higher. September, $4.35; November, $4.45@4.60; December, $4.70@4.85; March, $4.95@5.10; May, $5.15@5.20.

Callboard Sales.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 28.—Wheat weak; December, $1.39; barley, weak; December, $1.08 1-2; corn, large yellow, $1.45@1.50; bran, $21.00@22.00.

Liverpool Grain.

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 28.—Close Wheat,: October, 6s 2 3-4d.; December, 6s 3 5-8d.

Portland Wheat Market.

PORTLAND, Sept. 28.—Wheat, Walla Walla, 73; blue stem, 77; valley, 77.

Tacoma Wheat Market.

TACOMA, Sept. 28.—Wheat, unchanged. Blue stem, 78; club, 74.

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SAN FRANCISCO MARKET.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

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SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 28.—Flour—Net cash prices for family extras, 4.60@4.85; bakers' extras, 4.50@4.60; Oregon and Washington, 3.90@4.60.

Wheat—Shipping, 1.38¾@1.41¼; milling, 1.45@1.55.

Barley — Feed, 1.08¾@1.11¼; brewing, 1.15@1.21¼; Chevalier, 1.35@1.50.

Oats—Red, 1.20@1.30; white, 1.30@1.30; black, 1.40@1.60.

Middlings—25.00@27.00; mixed feed, 22.00@23.00; rolled barley, 24.00@25.00.

Hay—Wheat, 10.00@15.00; wheat and oat, 10.00@13.00; barley, 9.00@11.00; clover, 9.00@10.00; alfalfa, 8.50@11.50; straw, 45@60.

Beans—Pink, 2.75@2.95; Lima, 3.50@3.70; small white, 3.10@3.30; large white, 2.90@3.00.

Potatoes — New, —; Merced sweets, 85@1.00; river Burbanks, 60@90; Salinas Burbanks, 1.00@1.45.

Onions—Fancy, 65; common, 50.

Berries—Strawberries, 2.00@3.00; raspberries, 4.00@5.00; blackberries, 4.00; huckleberries, 6@8.

Various—Green peas, 2@3; string beans, 2@2½; egg plant, 30@50; garlic, 2@3; cucumbers, 30@50.

Fruit—Fancy apples, 1.25; common apples, 25; pears, common, 50; fancy, —; Bartlett, 1.00@1.50; peaches, common, 25; fancy, 50; pomegranates, 50@2.00; quinces, 30@60; grapes, ordinary, 30.

Melons — Fancy cantaloupes, 2.25; common, 1.25; nutmegs, 40@65; watermelons, 10.00@20.00.

Citrus fruits—Navels, —; Valencias, 1.50@2.50; Mexican limes, 6.50@7.50; California lemons, common, 1.00; fancy, 2.50.

Tropical fruits—Bananas, 1.00@1.75; pineapples, 1.50@2.50.

Poultry — Live turkeys, 20@22; old roosters, 4.50@5.00; young roosters, 5.50@6.00; small broilers, 2.50@3.00; large broilers, 3.50@3.75; fryers, 4.00@4.50; hens, 4.00@5.00; ducks, old, 4.00@5.00; ducks, young, 5.00@6.00; geese, 1.50@1.75; goslings, 2.00@2.25; pigeons, old, 1.25@1.50; pigeons, young, 1.50@2.00.

Butter — Fancy creamery, 30; seconds, 27; fancy dairy, 25; seconds, 23.

Cheese—New, 13; old, —; Young America, 13½@14; eastern, 14@16.

Eggs—Eastern, 22@25; ranch, 34@39.

The Los Angeles Stock and Bond Exchange quotes local securities as follows:

San Francisco Mining Stocks.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 28.—The official closing quotations for mining stocks today were as follows:

Andes	15	Justice	4
Belcher	26	Mexican	110
Best & Belcher	140	Occidental Con	30
Bullion	9	Ophir	165
Caledonia	95	Overman	29
Challenge Con	23	Potosi	27
Chollar	24	Savage	27
Confidence	88	Sag Belcher	8
Con. Cal. & Va	140	Sierra Nevada	62
Con. Imperial	3	Silver Hill	67
Crown Point	11	Union Con	73
Gould & Curry	22	Utah Con	13
Hale & Norcross	51	Yellow Jacket	44

Receipts.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 28.—Flour, quarter sacks, 18,067; wheat, centals, 3107; barley, centals, 62,980; oats, centals, 6695; beans, sacks, 7108; corn, centals, 500; potatoes, sacks, 9523; onions, sacks, 1382; bran, sacks, 385; middlings, sacks, 637; hay, tons, 1246; hops, bales, 490; hides, number, 2125; wine, gallons, 54,700.

California Oil Exchange.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 28.—California Stock and Oil Exchange morning sales: 200 Caribou at 105; 100 Esperanza, 130; 100 Kern Oil, $5.00. Afternoon sales: 1000 Apollo, 40; 600 Four Oil, 68.

Drafts and Silver.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 28.—Silver bars, 59 3-8; drafts, sight, 7½; Mexican dollars, none; Drafts, telegraph, 10.

ON THE WATER FRONT.

PORT SAN PEDRO, LOS ANGELES

ARRIVED—MONDAY, SEPT. 28.

Steamer Alcazar, Capt. Martin, from Greenwood.

French bark Ville de Mulhouse, Capt. Connavet, 145 days from Hamburg, Germany.

SAILED—MONDAY, SEPT. 28.

Steamer Aberdeen, Capt. Daniels, for San Francisco.

Schooner Salvator, Capt. Oberg, for Cosmopolis, Wash.

Schooner Excelsior, Capt. Trudgett, for Shoalwater Bay.

Schooner Argus, Capt. Hartwick, for Whatcom.

DUE AT THIS PORT.

From Eureka, steamer South Bay.

From Mendocino, steamer Pasadena.

From San Francisco, via way ports, steamer Bonita, Sept. 29.

From Anacortes, schooner Honolulu.

TO LEAVE—TUESDAY, SEPT. 29.

For San Francisco, via way ports, steamer Bonita.

For San Francisco, steamer Robert Dollar.

Wednesday, Sept. 30—For Umpqua River, schooner Lucy.

The steamer Hermosa makes regular daily trips to Santa Catalina Island and return.

MOVEMENT OF "MOSQUITO" FLEET.

ARRIVED—MONDAY, SEPT. 28.

Launches Petrel, O. K. and Fashion, from Long Beach with passengers, and returned.

SAILED.

Power-boat Leone, for San Clemente Island. The small sailboats composing the "mosquito" fleet are laid up in the inner harbor on account of rough weather at sea.

LIST OF VESSELS IN PORT.

MONDAY, SEPT. 28.

Name and destination—	Location.
Str. Alcazar, Greenwood	So. Cal. wharf
Str. Santa Monica, Gray's H.	San Pedro wharf
Str. Sequoia, San Francisco	Salt Lake wharf
Str. Redondo, Eureka	Wood wharf
Str. Greenwood, Albion	So. Pac. wharf
Str. Robt. Dollar, San Fran.	So. Pac. wharf
Fr. bk. Ville de Mulhouse, Hamburg	Outer Harbor
Bk. Hesper	Stimson wharf
Bk. Coryphene	Salt Lake wharf
Bkt. Hadyn Brown, Eureka	Salt Lake wharf
Bkt. Northwest, Everett	So. Cal. wharf
Bkt. Robt. Sudden, Tacoma	Blinn wharf
Sch. A. B. Johnson, Gray's H.	Salt Lake wharf
Sch. Fred E. Sander, Gray's Harbor	Crescent wharf
Sch. Wempe Bros., Port Madison	So. Pac. wharf
Sch. F. W. Howe, Port Madison	So. Pac. wharf
Sch. James A. Garfield, Coos Bay	S. W. wharf
Sch. Alvena, Astoria	S. W. wharf
Sch. Cecilia Sudden, Gray's H.	San Pedro wharf
Sch. Mary Dodge, Eureka	Crescent wharf
Sch. Expansion, Tacoma	Wood wharf
Sch. Lottie Bennett, Port Ballard	Salt Lake wharf
Sch. Ruth E. Godfrey, Port Ballard	Stimson wharf
Sch. Lucy, Umpqua River	K.-Cuzner wharf
Sch. Louise, Umpqua River	K.-Cuzner wharf
Sch. Lizzie Vance, Gray's H.	So. Cal. wharf
Sch. W. J. Patterson, Gray's Harbor	San Pedro wharf
Sch. R. W. Bartlett, Columbia River	So. Pac. wharf

SAILING FOR SAN PEDRO.

Name and from—	Number days out.
Str. South Bay, Eureka	4
Str. Pasadena, Mendocino	1
Sch. Honolulu, Anacortes	9
Sch. H. D. Bendixsen, Aberdeen	5
Sch. Charles C. Falk, Coos Bay	3
Sch. Espada, Gray's Harbor	3

TIDE TABLE FOR SAN PEDRO.

		High.	Low.
Tuesday,	Sept. 29	5:30 a.m. / 4:38 p.m.	10:47 a.m. / 11:26 p.m.
Wednesday,	" 30	6:34 a.m. / 5:38 p.m.	11:56 a.m.
Thursday,	Oct. 1	6:59 a.m. / 6:38 p.m.	12:12 a.m. / 12:37 p.m.
Friday,	" 2	7:24 a.m. / 7:10 p.m.	12:43 a.m. / 1:07 p.m.
Saturday,	" 3	7:46 a.m. / 7:44 p.m.	1:13 a.m. / 1:35 p.m.
Sunday,	" 4	8:06 a.m. / 8:18 p.m.	1:37 a.m. / 2:02 p.m.
Monday,	" 5	8:22 a.m. / 8:52 p.m.	2:06 a.m. / 2:27 p.m.
Tuesday,	" 6	8:36 a.m. / 9:27 p.m.	2:36 a.m. / 2:57 p.m.

PORT ITEMS.

ALONG THE WATER FRONT.

WEATHER: Clear at 5 p.m.; wind southwest, velocity 16 miles.

The large French bark Ville de Mulhouse arrived from Hamburg, Germany, with 12,000 barrels of cement consigned to William Wolff & Co. The vessel is anchored in the Outer Harbor, and will probably discharge on lighters. She is the first ship to come here with a foreign cargo for a number of years.

The steamer Alcazar has 395,000 feet of lumber consigned to the Southern California and San Pedro companies. The schooner R. W. Bartlett brought 660,000 feet of lumber consigned to the D. H. Bibb Lumber Company.

The steamer Aberdeen sailed for San Francisco with a good passenger list. The schooners Argus, Excelsior and Salvator sailed in ballast for northern ports to reload lumber cargoes.

Owing to a change of orders, the steamer Robert Dollar will not sail for the North until tomorrow morning.

WOMEN FACE A REVOLVER.

Disarm Drunken Man After a Hard Struggle.

Tragedy Was Threatened on Temple Street.

Mrs. Gustave Bareto and Her Sister Subdue Husband and His Gun.

Two courageous women, with the strength of desperation that comes when facing death, overpowered and disarmed a drunken brute last night after a fearful struggle in the mud of Temple street. Unlike most women, they did not collapse when the ordeal was over, but appeared as calm as though nothing had happened. Everybody else in the neighborhood was greatly excited.

Gustave Bareto, a Frenchman employed by the Title and Abstract Company, went home at 10:30 o'clock with an overdose of liquor, placed a revolver at his wife's head, and told her he was going to kill her. She and the other members of the family, including her sister, ran out of the house. In the street Bareto overtook them. Mrs. Bareto and her sister fell in the mud and he raised his weapon as if to shoot. Then the two women bravely rushed up and seized him, finally wresting the revolver from his unsteady hands. There is no telling what tragedy they prevented.

The scuffling, screaming and cursing aroused persons in the neighborhood, which is at Belmont avenue, and a telephone message informed the police that a murder had been committed. The man who 'phoned said a daughter of the murdered woman had told him.

Capt. Auble and several patrolmen hastened to the place. Bareto was still making a fuss and loudly cursing, but at sight of the bluecoats calmed down and soon expressed eagerness to be good if permitted to remain at home. He was drunk and had a large bottle of "firewater" to spare. The officers destroyed it.

Then the wife who had been threatened with murder and who was covered with the mud of the street from the tussle with her husband, pleaded for Bareto. She begged the police not to arrest him. They complied on the representation that she was afraid to stay at home alone, and he was not taken to jail. He was told that he would be locked up in the event of further trouble and the admonition apparently "soaked in." Two patrolmen were left in the vicinity of the house a few hours to prevent a possible further outbreak of the "booze" which caused the disturbance. Nothing happened.

FIRE BUGS IN HARLEM.

Terror is Spread Among Flat Dwellers by Setting of Five Fires in Cellars for Purposes of Robbery.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Five fires were started in the cellars of as many flat-houses in Harlem during Sunday by incendiaries. In each case it was found upon investigation that kerosene had been used to hasten the work of the flames. Hundreds of lives were imperiled, and property worth thousands of dollars endangered. The burning early Sunday morning of the Church of the Archangel in St. Nicholas avenue also is believed to have been the work of fire bugs.

When the rumor of fire bugs spread through the eastern section of Harlem, where all the fires were discovered, terror prevailed among the flat dwellers. Scores of policemen in citizen's dress are now at work in the district, but no trace of the miscreants has yet been secured. In some cases it was found that old mattresses had been dragged into the basement of a building, soaked with kerosene and red. Robbery is the only possible explanation.

The feature of the closing session of the International Peace Conference at Paris was a speech by M. Trouillot, Minister of Commerce, who declared that France was proud to be at the head of the peace movement. He expressed the hope that the time was coming when the huge sums devoted to keeping up armies would be utilized for the benefit of humanity.

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[NEWS REPORTS FROM TIMES CORRESPONDENTS.]

FEARFUL OF DEATH AT INDIANS' HANDS.

FARMER AT PALA DECLARES HE NEEDS PROTECTION.

Says the Government's Wards Make Unreasonable Demands, Accompanied by Threats, and Are Ugly—Captain and Priest Are Blamed.

SAN JACINTO, Sept. 28.—United States Indian Farmer Norton M. Barnes was in San Jacinto Saturday on a visit to the Mission agency. In speaking of the prevailing discontent among the Indians on the Pala reservation, he said: "I am simply staying there at the mercy of a hundred or more Indians of a disagreeable class, and it need be no surprise to hear of my death at their hands before the present trouble is definitely settled. Ever since the removal of these Indians from Agua Caliente and San Felipe to Pala they have been demanding of me favors which the United States government will not entertain, and it has therefore remained for me to refuse their petitions. This has so angered these Indians that they have often turned upon me with clenched fists and with angry words and cross looks contemptuously defied me to longer live among them. Up until very recently I have been solely alone upon the reservation, and all the while subject to these unjust insults, and I being utterly helpless in my own strength, have been much as a whipped cur about the reservation. In this helpless state I have never deemed it good policy to cross-question the Indians, and this of itself made it bearable for me to remain among them and to oversee their work as my position in the government service demands.

"Their demands are frequently accompanied with threats. I have been told to cause the removal of the little store kept near Pala by an American, and as well every white rancher within the mile limit; also, that I have the telephone line which connects Pala with the outside world taken down at once. When I refused to consider these unreasonable requests, a demand was made that I be removed from office, and an Indian priest, now living with them, appointed to the place."

The Indians are dissatisfied with the present large apportionment of rations and are demanding that the government support them. The wage of $1.25 a day which has been offered to those who would work has been ignored, and a demand for $1.50 a day has been made.

"In the strictest sense these Indians are not wholly to blame," says Barnes, "for the promises made them before their removal by men who possessed no authority and were only sympathizers have not been fulfilled, nor are some of the things promised practicable or likely to ever be carried into effect, and so the present serious trouble is but the result of unwarranted promises. Then, too, I have to contend with an unloyal captain, an unworthy councilor to the tribe, and an Indian priest, whose orders, taken collectively, have become the law of the members of the tribe.

"In my opinion the present trouble will end in bloodshed, and of such a serious nature as will command the attention of the officials in authority, and in this way an early investigation of the trouble be made, and which will result in a definite settlement, which will bind the Indians to respect their superiors. Under the present condition of affairs a half dozen police should be supplied myself and Agent Shell at once, that we might enforce our demands and fully carry out the orders of the government."

ELSINORE.

CLAY AND COAL.

ELSINORE, Sept. 28.—Charles Langstaff of Whittier, who recently developed valuable clay beds in Warm Spring Valley, is in Elsinore again. There is a peculiarly fine, soft, jet-black clay in his beds, which burns a clear white, and is brittle and about the consistency of chinaware. There is much in sight and more yet uncovered, beside a number of other clays and some coal. Samples will be sent to Tropico to be experimented with.

NEWS BREVITIES.

It began raining here early Sunday morning and continued steadily all forenoon. Prune and hay growers lose by the unseasonable rainfall.

John Sherring and family arrived today from the East to occupy their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hamilton have arrived from Long Beach and have rented a cottage. Mr. Hamilton is connected with the new bank management.

Loring Day is taking a course in mechanical engineering in Throop Polytechnic Institute, Pasadena.

RIVERSIDE.

HERE AND THERE.

RIVERSIDE, Sept. 28.—The rain has not interfered with the progress of the street work now being carried on so extensively in the business section. Today full crews were at work as usual on both the street-paving job and the electric railroad extensions and improvements. The railway company will have the special work at the intersection of Main and Seventh streets completed within a week, by which time the asphalt paving will be almost finished on Eighth and Main streets. It is expected to complete the entire contract not later than November 10.

W. C. Petchner has filed notice of appropriation on the modest amount of 300,000 miner's inches of water in the Colorado River, to be used for power, irrigation and domestic purposes in certain townships on the east border of Riverside county.

Sportsmen should bear in mind the fact that the open season for valley quail and ducks does not open in this county until October 15, and not October 1. County Game Warden Binder says that all violators of the law will be prosecuted.

The series of tennis matches to decide the championship in men's doubles is drawing to a close on the Eighth-street courts. The finals will probably be between Geldert and Lorain, and Pelton and Millice, each team having won three matches and lost one. The other teams participating in the contest are: Fraser and Clarke, Eakin and Grunwell, Spooner and Mills Fraser, the last-named having made the best showing to date, with a possibility of getting in the finals. The tournament will be concluded this week, weather permitting.

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SAN BERNARDINO.

WOMAN'S PITIABLE PLIGHT.

SAN BERNARDINO, Sept. 28.—Amelia A. Turner, wife of Edward Turner, the unfortunate woman who attempted suicide last week by cutting her throat with a razor, was this afternoon committed to the Highland Asylum. Mrs. Turner is 24 years of age, and since the birth of a child six months ago, she has been in ill health. Her mental condition did not cause alarm until last Friday, when in a fit of despondency, she cut half a dozen deep gashes in her throat before her husband, who had just left the room, could wrest the razor from her hands. She almost bled to death.

NO NEW TRIAL.

Judge Bledsoe denied the motion of the plaintiffs for a new trial in the suit of the People ex rel. against the town of Ontario. The question of the suit was the right of the town to take in a large territory and incorporate it into the outside. The ranchers, with the assistance of the State, resisted the movement on the ground that they would be compelled to pay the town taxes and yet not be located near enough to the village to enjoy the benefits. The town held an election and declared the new ground duly incorporated.

ON THE SIDE.

This afternoon the Supervisors adopted a resolution appointing Reid and Clark a committee to visit the jails at Orange and Los Angeles, with a view of getting ideas to be used in building an addition to the jail here. It is intended to have the Sheriff's headquarters located in the new building, and above have the home of the jailer.

The Supervisors today sold the Mission school bonds to the amount of $12,500 and the Cucamonga school bonds to the amount of $3500 to the Adams-Philips Company of Los Angeles.

Gertrude Tibbet has been granted an interlocutory decree of divorce from Edward P. Tibbet, and the custody of three minor children.

John Shafer was committed to the Highland Asylum this afternoon.

Showers fell throughout this section during the night, making the precipitation of yesterday and last night exceed .50 inches in some localities. The weather today continues threatening, with an occasional drizzle or light shower. There was a heavy downpour on the mountains, with scurries of snow in some sections. Considerable damage has been done the hay, grain and barley as yet unharvested or not under cover. The signs this afternoon here and at Riverside indicate that the storm is not yet over.

Small "want" advertisements in The Times bring swift and sure returns. Telephone your wants to Red 414, and our San Bernardino Agency will take your ad. and send it to the main office.

ONTARIO.

ORANGE CROP REPORT.

ONTARIO, Sept. 28.—The fifth annual meeting of the Citrus Fruit Association of Ontario was held Saturday afternoon. This is one of the largest of the eight exchange associations in the district. The shipments this season amounted to 365 carloads of oranges and lemons, an increase of 140 per cent. over last year. The members received this season $111,000, nearly $44,000 more than last.

It was freely admitted that the past crop was the poorest in quality ever grown in the colony, with undesirable off sizes running to over 45 per cent. of the whole crop. Pools for navels early in the season show an average for all grades of $2.52 per 100 pounds, the average for all pools and grades of navels being $1.28 per 100 pounds and all oranges $1.34. One member received the large sum of $412.99 for the fruit from sixty-nine trees of St. Michaels on three-quarters of an acre.

Extensive improvements are being made in the packing-house for next year's business, which it is estimated will exceed 550 carloads.

A strong resolution was approved, commending the action of the Southern California Fruit Exchange, resulting in the formation of the California Fruit Exchange.

G. W. Russell was elected president; H. H. Morgan, vice-president; J. T. Lindley, G. T. Stamm, J. G. Garbutt, A. S. Gaylord, W. J. Clark, additional directors; A. T. Hamilton, secretary and manager.

IN BRIEF.

The Ontario schools opened this morning with a larger attendance than any other year.

Miss Sara Oliver died Saturday evening at the home of her niece, Mrs. E. M. Rankin. The funeral service was held at the residence this afternoon, conducted by Rev. Mr. Mather.

Rain fell here yesterday and early this morning.

We are on the other end of your 'phone. Telephone your wants to Main 105 and our Ontario Agency will take your ad. and send it to the main office.

REDLANDS.

MRS. SCOTT SERIOUSLY HURT.

REDLANDS, Sept. 28.—Mrs. J. H. Scott, wife of Dr. Scott of Idyllwild, was seriously injured on Orange street, this city, this afternoon. Dr. and Mrs. Scott were driving and in turning across the track were struck by a trolley car of the San Bernardino Valley Traction line. Mrs. Scott's skull was fractured and she is in a critical condition. Dr. Scott was not seriously hurt.

HEAVY RAIN.

Two and a half inches of rain fell at Bear Valley dam during the storm. In Redlands the precipitation was about .60 of an inch. There was a light shower this afternoon.

KERN COUNTY.

OIL SUIT DISMISSED.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

BAKERSFIELD, Sept. 28.—The suit brought some months ago by the Reed Crude Oil Company against N. Clark & Sons, a Los Angeles corporation, for $25,000 damages for the alleged failure of the defendant to keep a contract for the purchase of oil, was dismissed today by mutual consent.

HULSE'S TRIAL THERE.

This morning Judge Mahon announced the decision denying the motion for a change of venue in the case of Alfred W. Hulse, the alleged accomplice of Outlaw McKinney, charged with the murder of Officers Tibbet and Packard. The prisoner's counsel, Irwin & Alford, gave notice that a bill of exceptions would be filed and an appeal taken. Judge Mahon ordered the prisoner brought up tomorrow at 10 o'clock to have his case set for trial.

ATTEMPT TO ASSAULT.

Samuel Spencer, on trial for an assault, alleged to have been committed on a thirteen-year-old girl, was found guilty of an attempt to assault by a jury in Judge Mahon's court this evening. The crime was committed two miles from Bakersfield in August. Spencer invited the child to take a ride with him. She escaped from his clutches near the Kern River crossing and on reaching the public road was rescued by a passing buggy.

SANTA ANA VOTES LARGE BOND ISSUE.

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SANTA ANA, Sept. 28.—The entire bond issue of $100,000 for municipal improvements carried here today by good majorities, above the required two-thirds votes. The detailed vote of the several propositions stood as follows: Sixty-thousand-dollar issue for municipal electric-light and power plant, yes 514, no 234, majority 46; $20,000 issue for city hall, yes 513, no 240, majority 33; $12,000 issue for schoolhouse, yes 694, no 98, majority 498; $8000 issue for fire-alarm system and fire apparatus, yes 691, no 103, majority 485. About 800 votes were cast out of a registration of nearly 1300. The carrying of the electric-light and city hall bonds was generally received with surprise, as even the supporters of the propositions were dubious of winning. The majority is counted over two-thirds.

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ANAHEIM.

ILLEGAL MARRIAGES.

ANAHEIM, Sept. 28.—The item published in The Times a few days ago to the effect that it was given out here that the marriages performed by Rev. Mr. Pratt were illegal, created a mild sensation in this end of the county. It was stated this morning by one of the leading Methodists of this city that Rev. Pratt never had been ordained as a minister of the gospel and, according to this statement, all the marriages he ever performed are illegal. A Methodist preacher also said this morning that Pratt had no authority whatever to perform marriage ceremonies, and a business man and a member of the Methodist Church is authority for the statement that a presiding elder also gives out the information that Pratt cannot legally perform marriage ceremonies. It is said friends of some of the persons wedded by this minister will advise them to get married over again at once by a justice of the peace or a regularly-ordained minister.

ON THE SIDE.

Earl Chandler, aged 17, of Santa Ana, was up before Justice Howard this morning on a charge of disturbing the peace. He is a bright-looking boy, and as it was his first offense, the justice imposed a fine of $10 and suspended collection of same during good behavior.

The rainfall here the past twenty-four hours has been .38 of an inch. No damage has been reported. At 5 p.m. indications are good for a heavy downpour.

Mrs. Hockenstone was reported dangerously ill this afternoon.

During the past week the Orange County Preserving Company shipped three carloads of canned goods. A car of grapes was also shipped out and seven cars of lumber were received from San Pedro. For some time an average of a carload of lumber has been received here daily.

Rev. Bede A. Johnson, the new Methodist Episcopal pastor, has arrived. His family will be here Thursday evening, when the church will tender them a reception in the church. On and after Sunday services will be held in the church both morning and evening, instead of evenings only, as in the past.

VENTURA COUNTY.

ALMOST A REAL DUEL.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

VENTURA, Sept. 28.—A pistol duel between Oxnard officials nearly came off a few days ago. No doubt blood would have been spattered all over Justice Harris's office furniture had not Harvey Branscombe, the ex-king of Calabasas, concluded that Deputy Sheriff Russell was too quick on the trigger for him.

Branscombe, who was once the head of municipal affairs in the famed Calabasas region as Deputy Constable and all-round ruler of affairs on the Los Angeles side of the foothills, has of late years acted as special guard of the big Patterson ranch during the beet-thinning labor troubles. He has also acted as Deputy Constable since being in the Oxnard region. A few days ago Branscombe and Deputy Constable Fred Lynn met and there was shortly trouble between the two, in which, it is alleged, Lynn drew a knife. Then along came Deputy Sheriff Russell, whom the Sheriff has deputed to keep the peace in Oxnard. Russell could not stand the idea of peace officers fighting, and he arrested both Lynn and Branscombe, much to the indignation and chagrin of the ex-king of Calabasas. Justice Harris thought it right also that peace officers should not forget themselves, so he fined Lynn and Branscombe $10 each. This made Branscombe angrier than ever, and he glowered across the courtroom at Russell, who calmly looked back at the once mighty man. As jailor in Los Angeles under Sheriff Gibson, Russell well remembered Branscombe.

After the fine had been imposed and paid and the case ended, Branscombe accosted Russell with a proposition to fight. Russell demurred. He did not want to fight, as he said Branscombe could easily whip him, "but," said the little Deputy Sheriff, as he whipped out two big pistols from his hind pockets, "you take one of these and I'll take the other; we'll separate as far as you like and begin shooting; the best man will survive." The courtroom was cleared in a flash, it is stated, at Russell's cool proposition, and the crowd outside waited for the shooting to begin. But it did not. Branscombe declined to take one of Russell's pistols and the latter poked them back in his pockets. Peace has reigned ever since in Oxnard.

LAWYERS AND PRISONERS.

Sheriff McMartin won a victory in court this morning when Judge Ewing decided that he considered the Sheriff's position fair enough as regards confidential interviews between prisoners and attorneys. A few weeks ago the Sheriff refused to allow Attorney Shepherd to see a prisoner in the County Jail, one Manuel Sepulveda, unless the attorney would be content to talk with the prisoner in sight, but not within hearing of some member of the Sheriff's force. The attorney took exception to the Sheriff's rule at the time and considerable talk was raised over the matter. This morning Judge Ewing was appealed to to allow attorneys to see prisoners without being in sight of an official. The court thought the Sheriff's position all right and that it could be no hardship on attorney or client to be within sight of officers so long as they were not within hearing, for what was said would still be confidential.

SANTA BARBARA COUNTY.

WEAK BACKBONE CONDEMNED.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SANTA BARBARA, Sept. 28.—The full strength of the Citizens' Alliance was shown at a meeting tonight when resolutions were passed condemning the action of the Boeseke-Dawe Company, in signing an agreement with the union plumbers, whereby the firm conceded all the demands of the union. M. C. Faulding, manager of the Boeseke-Dawe Company, is also chairman of the Executive Committee of the alliance, and so great was the indignation of the alliance members that Faulding was openly accused of betraying the alliance, and many members were in favor of expelling him without further delay. Judge R. B. Canfield, who is largely interested in building operations, confessed that he had brought pressure to bear on the Boeseke-Dawe Company to conciliate with the unions, in order that his work might be accomplished. The agreement with the plumbers is that the men shall work on all jobs except those declared unfair by the trades council, and that only one boss plumber be allowed in each shop. These terms are against the principles of the alliance, and the action of the firm in acceding to them has strengthened the other contractors in their determination to fight the unjust union demands to a finish.

YESTERDAY'S HOTEL ARRIVALS.

VAN NUYS—E. J. Shipman, New York; D. R. Coleman and wife, Texas; Fred Robinson and wife, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Charles Searle, H. J. Snead, A. Boate, R. Todd, William Mooser, San Francisco; Mrs. Jesse R. Grant, C. Chapman Grant, San Diego; H. F. Tourtallot, Providence, R. I.; Charles H. Jacobs, Detroit; George J. Kaine and family, F. G. Le Compte, Denver; Charles C. Wright, Kansas City; W. C. Mendenhall, United States Geographical Survey, Washington, D. C.

THE ANGELUS—Mr. and Mrs. E. Morgan, Chicago; Bessie E. Bord, Ontario, Colo.; W. A. Moore and wife, New York; Louis Kutran and wife, Fresno; H. Munhard, New Orleans; Mrs. Eugene L. Maxwell, Brooklyn; Mrs. Donald Geddes, Lawrence; Miss Maxwell, Lawrence; J. F. Moroney, A. L. Samter, San Francisco; H. Jacoby, New York; Frank W. Halley, San Francisco; Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Thompson, Mrs. Ellis, New York; Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Gesliner, San Francisco; Mrs. B. H. Flaspoller, Miss C. Flaspoller, Mrs. B. F. Drott, New Orleans; Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Trowbridge, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Robbins, Mrs. Battams, A. G. Morgan, San Francisco; George T. Gosling, Philadelphia; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Jenned, Milwaukee; Benjamin King Farned, Thomas E. Johnson, Boston.

NATICK—R. Mudgely, Chicago; C. M. Barkley and wife, Indiana; C. J. Ferch and wife, G. W. Riggs and wife, Minneapolis; O. A. Ellis, Arizona; H. D. Dannell, Chicago; W. C. Geller and wifee, D. S. Geller, Clinton, Ind.; Charles J. Francis, Sacramento; J. Y. Whitehouse, A. E. Larsen, Fresno; Otis Moody, San Francisco; T. J. Sullins, West Virginia; A. C. Knechtel, Michigan; George F. Conlon, Florida; C. Webber, Iowa; Lole Mack, May Agnes Darrell, New York; Charles Witter, San Diego; Dora Guthrise, Guadaloupe; C. A. Fendt and family, J. C. Nala, Illinois; J. Smith, Chicago; Charles T. Allen, New Castle; Mr. and Mrs. L. Moore, San Francisco; D. Williams and wife, Cucamonga; J. H. Haynes, W. S. Hayes, Tennessee; Henry Tates, San Diego; W. K. Phillips, Sacramento; R. L. Graham, Kansas.

HOLLENBECK—E. L. Van Cleef, R. Willey, Santa Cruz; W. J. Brunig, R. Martin, E. L. Martin, M. J. Martenant and wife, H. P. Swift, T. H. Charles, G. Pratt, E. Jackson, T. J. Hoffman, G. A. Innes, R. S. Burnes, C. W. Colby, C. F. Mallett, W. Varila and wife, S. Glass, C. C. Willis, W. M. Liggett, A. C. Bates, D. Galder and wife, San Francisco; S. M. Woods, C. Sellers, A. B. Norwalk, F. J. Bond, Miss G. Benton, New York; G. E. Fletcher, L. H. Mitchell, L. P. Mitchell, Washington; B. F. Hesser, A. G. Perry, C. Becker, D. J. O'Brien, Chicago; W. B. Marbles, Attaborro; R. H. Dalacee, Berkeley; J. J. Black, Peoria; T. C. Anderson, Denver; N. W. Hutchinson, St. Joseph; A. M. Hughes, Kansas City; H. H. Griffiths, Stockton; W. Land, Sacramento; R. P. Sloan, Daggett; S. B. Pugh, Virginia; Mrs. T. C. Wadham, San Diego; Miss F. Reinhardt, Pittsburgh; J. A. Reynolds, England; E. S. Luther, Providence.

VAN NUYS BROADWAY—Alfred Kolner, New York; Mr. and Mrs. P. Rossi and child, Mrs. F. A. Drinkwater, San Francisco; Miss Deane, Sioux City, Iowa; Charles W. Burnes, C. L. Goddard and wife, Dr. W. P. Alnger, San Francisco; A. C. Kennedy, New York.

WESTMINSTER—Miss M. Murphy, W. J. Weatherly, San Francisco; Ed Wagner, Stockton; Mrs. C. H. Davis, Miss F. Watson, San Francisco; Mrs. Lucy Picker, Port Arthur, Tex.; L. G. Blick, Norfolk, Va.; J. H. Rohr, Miss G. Doss, New York; T. H. Kerney, Washington, D. C.; T. H. Nerney, W. P. Shaw, San Francisco; G. T. Hackley, Boston, Mass.; C. B. Well, Milwaukee, Wis.; F. A. Gilley, J. Sealburg, M. S. Cook, Mrs. M. S. Cook, San Francisco.

NADEAU—A. J. Colgan, Master F. and D. Colgan, Boston; Harry E. Overhalt, Chicago; A. J. Charle and wife, Minneapolis; J. R. Agee, Silver City, N. M.; J. S. Danner, Miss M. Smith, Mrs. Wolf, Miss M. Wolf, Mrs. McCrate, Miss McCrate, Arthur Cleal, San Francisco; L. C. Davis, San Luis Obispo; A. Coleman, Dundee, Scotland; Henry H. Gilfroy, Salem, Or.; C. H. Bushman, Hanford; C. J. Gaines, Redding; D. J. E. Armstrong, Los Nietos; E. B. Hinstrode, Santa Fe; P. E. Doane, Milwaukee; J. E. Flint and wife, Denver; William Elling, San Diego; M. R. Jorgenson, Sioux City, Iowa; H. W. McMatlin, Eureka, Cal.

FREE LECTURES.

Bertha T. Pinkham of Cleveland, O. will begin a course of lectures tonight at the Training School for Christian Workers, Boyle Heights, on the subject of "The Atonement." The lectures are free.

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A Strange Case.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mayhan, said to be of New York City, are visiting with Mrs. Mayhan's brother, Edward Cummings. About a year ago, according to Mr. Cummings's statement to a News-Herald reporter, Mr. and Mrs. Mayhan were the victims of a railroad wreck in Georgia. Both were seriously, and it was thought at one time fatally, injured. However, after long months of unconsciousness they recovered. In the wreck several people were killed and the skulls of both Mr. and Mrs. Mayhan were fractured. When they were found in the débris particles of brain matter were found on the timbers. The finest medical aid was secured, and the brains were restored to the heads of the injured people. In telling the story to a reporter, Mr. Cummings said: "Both my sister and my brother-in-law were taken to the hospital in New York. Seeing that their skulls had been fractured, it was not believed they could live, but they did live and recovered physically, but mentally they are almost wrecks. In replacing the brains in the heads the physicians must have made a mistake, for my sister now imagines that she is her husband and vice versa. Although it is a serious case, it is sometimes really quite laughable. They make such ridiculous statements. I am afraid they can never be cured, but we are en route now to California to see if something cannot be done."—[Joplin (Mo.) News-Herald.

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PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a meeting of the stockholders of The Farmers' & Merchants' National Bank of Los Angeles, will take place and be held on Tuesday, the 6th day of October, A. D. 1903, at three o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at its office in the principal place of business, to wit: No. 204 North Main street in the city of Los Angeles, county of Los Angeles, State of California, for the purpose and object of considering and voting upon the proposition, with the consent of two-thirds of its stockholders, and the approval of the Comptroller of the Currency, to increase its capital stock from one million dollars ($1,000,000.00), divided into ten thousand (10,000) shares, of the par value of one hundred dollars ($100.00) each, to one million five hundred thousand dollars ($1,500,000.00), divided into fifteen thousand (15,000) shares, of the par value of one hundred dollars ($100.00) each, and to sell the five thousand (5000) shares to be issued to accomplish said increase in capital stock, for the sum of two hundred dollars ($200.00) per share, and to increase its surplus from five hundred thousand dollars ($500,000.00) to one million dollars ($1,000,000.00).

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[NEWS REPORTS FROM TIMES CORRESPONDENTS.]

PASADENA SCHOOLS SHOW GREAT GROWTH.

FIRST DAY'S ENROLLMENT BREAKS PREVIOUS RECORDS.

Over Twenty-five Hundred Youngsters Sign up for Instruction—Indications that Tourist Season Will be Very Numerously Enjoyed.

PASADENA, Office of The Times, No. 24 South Raymond Avenue, Sept. 29.—The public schools reopened for the season yesterday, and 'twas the same old story of increased attendance, juggling of room for accommodations, and mild complaints of teachers that they have more pupils than they can handle. The attendance shows an even greater growth in population than was suspected. We certainly are growing. The total enrollment reported by Superintendent Graham last night, was 2568, which does not include the attendance at the Washington kindergarten, probably twenty youngsters.

"This enrollment," said Superintendent Graham, "is a gain of 308 over last year's first day, and is a bigger gain than last year's over that of the year before. We have not had time to figure exactly on the conditions of congestion. I fancy that the most trouble will be experienced at the Wilson grammar school, where there are 173 pupils in three rooms. We shall have to make classrooms in the basement and probably add one new teacher.

"We have had no trouble in securing enough teachers, but more will be needed as the year advances. The attendance last year increased up to the seventh month of school, and always increases up to the third or fourth month. It will be the same case this year, and teachers coming to this section will have no trouble in securing employment if they have the proper certificates."

Following is the enrollment at each of the principal schools: High School, 419; Columbia, 397; Lincoln, 402; Washington, 362; Grant, 53; Garfield, 357; Franklin, 395; Linda Vista, 20; Altadena, 14; Wilson grammar, 173.

TOURISTS COMING.

From every source comes the same old story of the prospective tourist rush to Pasadena this winter. Citizens who have been East and are returning say that they constantly met people who intend to make this section their home for a few months, and scads of others who sigh and only wish that they could do so. It was feared that the tightening of the money market on Wall street might cause a good many heads of families to deny themselves a winter vacation this year, but this catastrophe seems thus far to be a cloud that isn't likely to cause any trouble.

Already Hotel Maryland, which has not open all summer, is beginning to feel the influx, the dining-room being daily added to by the setting of a new table and the addition of more waitresses. The Casa Grande, closed all summer, is receiving guests. The business of entertaining winter guests is opening up like a closed flower that feels the touch of nature on its petals. The Raymond will not open till December 17, but Walter Raymond, who has spent the most of the summer here, is receiving applications daily for rooms.

Manager J. H. Holmes of Hotel Green returned yesterday from several months in the East. "Never has the future looked brighter for the hotel interests of Southern California," said he. "We find we will be compelled to open the hotel four days earlier than the scheduled time, because of a party of 150 excursionists who are determined to come early in November. What we are going to do with those who will come later I do not know, although the hotel will be prepared better than ever to take care of guests."

It is doubtful if the new annex will be finished in time to catch many of this year's visitors, though it is progressing rapidly, only the finishing touches being left to attend to.

FOWLER-BREWER.

Eldredge M. Fowler of Terrace drive and Miss Margaret A. Brewer were married at Hotel Netherland, New York City, on September 26, by Rev. Howard Duffield, D.D. Both are well known in this city, and their marriage has come as considerable of a surprise to their friends. The groom, who is the father of Mrs. Arthur Fleming, is advanced in years. His bride is a woman of youth and beauty and acted for a number of years as his housekeeper. Mr. Fowler has spent the summer in the East, while Miss Brewer has been viewing the Yosemite up to the time she joined him in New York for the wedding. News of the wedding was telegraphed here, that being the first inkling of the happening.

CLASSICAL SCHOOL.

The English Classical School for Girls at Nos. 130 and 154 South Euclid avenue, will reopen for its fourteenth year on Thursday, October 1, at 9 a.m. There have been no changes in the faculty save for some additions. Miss Virginia T. Conine, who arrives from New York today, will be at the head of the English department. Miss Dettrichson, the vocal teacher, comes highly recommended by Grieg and physical culture are as heretofore in other masters. Art, piano, violin and charge of Mrs. McLeod, Miss Nealy Stevens, Mr. Krause and Miss Ruth. The pupils of the school may join the chorus, freehand drawing and classes in plain sewing without additional fees.

NEWSY BITS.

Contractor Slavin, who is building the Hotel Green annex, had to say "good morning" yesterday to twenty-eight hod-carriers and motar-mixers who lined up at his office for more pay. They are getting $3 per day and demanded $3.50. It was given them, as the contractor could not afford, this late in the day, to have a lay-off.

The Lake-avenue Congregationalists have called a special meeting for this evening, when the subject of enlarging the church or building a new one will be considered. All friends are invited.

The death of John Thure Aronson, aged 41 years, occurred on Sunday night at his home on Iowa street in North Pasadena. He came here ten months ago from Sweden, and leaves a widow and three daughters.

Thomas Nelmes' rain gauge shows that .34 inches of rain fell here during the entire storm upon which the curtain has just rung down. This is the first September rainfall for six years.

John Bryant, the prizefighter, arrested for disturbing the peace of Woodman Hall Saturday night, got ten days yesterday. He has a contest for October 24, and feared that jail grub might not be good training, but he'll have to stand same.

Selling at cost, to close out by November 1. Randall, 46 East Colorado.

For mantels or tiling try Baker, 50 West Colorado.

After October 1 Glasscock's 96-98 E. Colorado.

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SAWTELLE.

NEWS BRIEFS.

SAWTELLE, Sept. 28.—School reopened this morning with a total attendance of 110 pupils, an increase of ten over last year's average. The upstairs portion of the building has been finished. The carpenter work cost $593, the plastering $250, and the oil finishing $35, making a total expenditure of $878. The bill for furnishing will approximate $530.

Gen. O. O. Howard, Prohibition Alliance, held a well-attended open meeting this evening at Wyant's Hall, when the following programme was rendered: Vocal solo, Mrs. George Taylor; music, Alliance choir; reading, George Barry; recitation, W. H. Metcalf; remarks, S. H. Taft; solo, J. C. Ten Eyck.

The Baptist Young People's Union elected for president, Miss Mabel Haskins; vice-president, W. B. B. Taylor; secretary, Mrs. J. F. Mallory; treasurer, Mrs. J. W. Cox.

CLAREMONT.

ANNUAL "STAG" SOCIAL.

CLAREMONT, Sept. 28.—The literary society rooms of Holmes Hall were gay with merriment Saturday night. It was the annual "stag" social under the auspices of the Y.M.C.A. An hour was spent in hand-shaking and good-fellowship and then came the following programme: Vocal solo, E. M. Pease, '04; address of welcome, Carl H. Parker, president of the Y.M.C.A. and presiding officer; mandolin solo, Carleton R. Bainbridge, '07; address, President Gates of Pomona College. In a speech abounding in wit and humor Dr. Gates told of the increasing joy of college fellowship and the memories of college life as the years increased after graduation. He offered a suggestion of a "loafing place," which should be at the service of the college men in times of leisure, and loud applause instantly followed. The suggestion is to be followed up by faculty and students. After the end of the "first half" occurred the serving of refreshments, which consisted of ices and wafers; then came the speech of Dean E. C. Norton, which sustained his past reputation for hitting the nail on the head. The next speech was that of Walter Hempel, head of the athletic department, which was crisp and to the point. Leonard Withington, editor of the "Students' Life," and Carl Newman, president of the Athletic Association, concluded the evening with speeches of like nature.

In response to the speech made by A. L. Millican on behalf of the Intercollegiate Prohibition Association, the Pomona College students have formed a Prohibition Oratorical Association. The president is W. M. C. Dixon, '04; vice-president, George Hume, '04; secretary and treasurer, C. A. Reed, '06. The association, it is expected, will hold an oratorical contest, sending the winning delegate for honors to the State contest, the winner of this to attend the St. Louis Exposition.

"Resolved, that the dismemberment of the Turkish nation would be for the best interests of the world as a whole," was the live question which was debated at the first meeting of the Pomona College Debating Club.

SANTA CATALINA ISLAND.

BREVITIES AND PERSONALS.

AVALON, Sept. 28.—A party composed of Harry Elms and his wife, Master Shirley Elms, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Clark, Miss Helen and Master Wilson Clark, Miss Mary E. Cook and Mrs. White, spent yesterday in a picnic up the coast.

T. J. Bolton and wife, Master Lance Bolton, Miss Grace Roche, Miss Adeline Wright, Masters Howard and Fred Brainerd started yesterday morning for an all day picnic at the Isthmus, but the weather was so threatening and the sea so rough that they turned in at Buttonshell Beach instead, and there spent the day very pleasantly.

Hugo, the boatman, has a freak apricot tree on Whitley avenue. It bore a fine crop, which ripened in June, and now it is loaded with blossoms, which seems like forcing the season. On the other hand, Hugo has a peach tree, the fruit of which is so backward that apparently it will not ripen until some time between Thanksgiving and Christmas.

Spencer W. N. Kennelly of Santa Monica, who has been at Avalon several weeks, left for home yesterday.

Miss Georgia Griffith of Detroit, sister of Conway Griffith, who has just returned to his cottage after the summer vacation, is here for a few days on a visit to her brother.

D. W. Kirkland, manager of the Owl Drug Company, Los Angeles, and Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Trowbridge and son of San Francisco, have been at the Metropole for a few days, returning to Los Angeles today. Mr. Trowbridge is connected with the Owl Drug Company of San Francisco.

Among the arrivals at Hotel Windsor yesterday are: H. N. Lowe, Long Beach; Mrs. R. Harold and Ethel Smith, Denver.

P. M. Jewett, Edward Jewett, Pasadena, and J. H. Desler, Los Angeles, came over yesterday for a week's fishing.

S. Darrow of Los Angeles, accompanied by J. M. Smith of Woodsack, O., are at the Windsor for a few days.

Thomas E. C. Johnson and Benjamin King Farnham of Boston are at the Metropole.

A. Wittis Paine of Los Angeles, who has been spending a fortnight here, purchased a cottage on Sumner avenue before leaving. It adjoins Mrs. Frank Pryor's cottage, "The Priory."

Mrs. Jeffries of London, England, who has been at the Glenmore for ten weeks, left yesterday for Santa Barbara.

The many friends of Mrs. Nellie Louise Arnold will be interested to learn that she was married a few days since in Los Angeles to Albert Edward Kruell, a druggist of that city.

Edward Lewellyn, one of the solo cornetists of the Catalina band, has accepted a position as cornetist in the orchestra of the Orpheum Theater in Los Angeles.

The incident of the death of Frank Sherman at the marble quarry last week, is closed so far as any business relating to the dead man is concerned. Justice Allen, who held the inquest, yesterday received requests from Sherman's friends in San Francisco for a transcript of the verdict and the funds. The first was complied with, and the funds, amounting to some $250, after all expenses were deducted, were sent to Coroner Troutt of Los Angeles.

WATER-FRONT LEASE STRONGLY OPPOSED.

FIGHT IN SAN PEDRO AGAINST PECULIAR PROPOSITION.

Los Angeles Chamber Takes Hold in Interest of Free Harbor Against Kelly's Half-mile-long "Bathhouse." Before Trustees Tonight.

SAN PEDRO, Sept. 28.—There will be two important questions before the City Trustees Tuesday evening. One is whether or not the Trustees will ignore the wishes of their constituents and lease away the last claim San Pedro now possesses to the water front; the other whether or not they will order an investigation into the affairs of the local police department, with a view of decapitating certain officers whose records are unsavory.

While an effort has been made by Luke Kelly and the several supporters of his petition, for the 2500 feet frontage in the outer harbor, to create the impression that the bath-house scheme is meeting with approval on all sides, the fact remains that a strong public opposition has been directed against granting the concession. One of the Trustees has openly declared himself in favor of the proposed grant, and another is believed to be siding that way. Consequently, the people are looking to the remaining two members to protect the city's interest. If they will not come to the front, the cause is lost forever; the public rights are sold out to private individuals and corporations, and a free harbor is virtually no more so far as the town is concerned.

There is every reason to believe that Kelly is merely a tool in the hand of some corporation. The report that he has been closely connected with the Pacific Electric Railway Company, coupled with the subsequent rumor that he recently engaged a boat for that corporation, which was placed on the beach at the foot of San Pedro street to hold certain frontage, is taken by many to mean that he is working in the interests of Mr. Huntington and his associates.

There will be a committee here tomorrow night from the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce, together with a large number of citizens and property owners, to make a showing before the Trustees. The special committee of the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce, after an investigation of the situation here, today adopted the following:

"Resolved, that we would respectfully petition the Board of Trustees of San Pedro that they refuse to grant this lease or any other form of lease or franchise that will alienate any portion of the deep-water frontage now remaining with the city of San Pedro, and we take this occasion to assure the authorities and the people of that city that the commercial interests of Los Angeles and of Southern California are so directly involved in this question of the freedom of the harbor frontage, that the alienation of this frontage must be treated as a matter of more than local importance and one in which the Chamber of Commerce of Los Angeles and other interested bodies should be given the right to be heard."

John T. Gaffey and others were out early this morning in the interest of the city, and say they will fight to the bitter end before they will submit to the granting of Kelly's petition. Gaffey said that he would not oppose anything that Kelly might ask within reason, but that he does think his wants are too great.

WHARF BUILDING.

Charles Lehman, manager of the Crescent Wharf and Warehouse Company, made the following statement today:

"We are simply covering the 900-foot gap between our old wharf and the California Fish Company, for which a franchise was granted some time ago. The property on which Simonds asks for a wharf franchise is fenced in, and the only reason I can attribute to the report referred to is the fact that in moving the fish company's buildings the strip of tide lands mentioned, which comprise but 180 feet, were overlooked."

A Los Angeles paper published the report that the company is building its wharves at East San Pedro "without regard to franchises," and "covering the frontage on the inner harbor for which the Simonds Warehouse Company has asked the Supervisors to grant a wharf franchise." To this "story" Mr. Lehman had reference.

LARGE CONGREGATION.

One of the largest congregations ever seen in this city turned out Sunday to greet Rev. George Steed, who has just been returned to the pastorate of the Methodist Church here. Mr. Steed is a favorite in San Pedro, and it was due only to a strong protest from the members of his church that the bishop consented to his return.

LONG BEACH.

FIGHTING THE DANCES.

LONG BEACH, Sept. 28.—An expected sensation failed to develop at the City Trustees' metting this evening. It was understood that a petition would be presented asking that the public dances at the city pavilion be stopped, but the document failed to appear.

The dances are an important source of revenue for the support of the concerts given daily, except on Mondays, by the Long Beach Marine Band. The band gives afternoon and evening concerts on those days except that on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday evenings it plays for dances.

"Were it not for the revenue from the dances," said a member of the band, "there would be little satisfaction in playing dance music. It is monotonous at best, but at the concerts there is a variety and an opportunity for us to try our skill on classical and other difficult compositions."

PRINCESS LONG'S FAREWELL.

Mrs. Princess Long, the vocalist, gave a farewell concert at the Tabernacle this evening before an enthusiastic audience of 1500 people. Mrs. Long and her husband, C. E. Long, are about to return to their old home in Kentucky. Assisting Mrs. Long were the Long Beach Marine Band and other local talent. The programme was arranged to present a pleasing variety of light and heavy musical compositions. Mrs. Long seemed to be at her best and even the failure of the electric lights scarcely marred the enjoyment of her hearers. In lighter vein she and her husband rendered several plantation melodies. Other features of the programme were a cornet solo by Prof. D. W. Douglas, a duet by Mrs. Long and J. W. Patterson, a piano solo by Miss Laurelle Harding Chase, and a vocal quartette by Messrs. Long, Farrar, Patterson and Cate. Miss Theta Lynn acted as accompanist.

LOCALETTES.

Thirty-eight hundredths of an inch of rain fell here between 10 a.m. and 2:20 p.m. yesterday. It came slowly and was nearly all absorbed by the dry earth. Considerable barley still in the stack and in the field awaiting the baler was caught, but the damage it is not believed will be great in this vicinity.

Lou Yuck, a Chinese laundryman, lost a valuable horse yesterday on Second street. The animal stepped on a live wire, fell and expired within two minutes. It is said that one of the Home Telephone Company's wires had been thrown across the line of the Electric, Gas and Power Company's low-potential wires. The circuit was thus completed. Lou Yuck, not knowing what caused his horse to fail, undertook to pull the live wire out from the animal, but was prevented before taking hold of it.

The plans for the projected pier have been received and are in the hands of the committee for consideration.

A petition is being circulated praying that a certain territory lying between Anaheim road and Hill street and American and Atlantic avenues be taken into the city.

The Southern California Cooperative Association has filed articles of incorporation. It is capitalized for $25,000 and will do a general merchandise business in Long Beach. The directors are F. E. Shaw, C. E. Le Roy, M. H. Jarden, L. D. Mallgrey and J. W. Young, Jr.

"Sixteen to one" is the ratio of returns to ads. in The Times. Telephone your wants to Main 591 and our Long Beach Agency will take your ad. and send it to the main office.

BURBANK.

VALLEY ITEMS.

BURBANK, Sept. 28.—Mrs. Hiram Ogden and her daughter, Mrs. Mary Ryan, and daughter, Evlyn, have returned from an extended visit at Portland, Or.

Mr. and Mrs. Tuke Comber are at Long Beach.

Mrs. O. B. Stow of San Diego is here superintending improvements on her large ranch.

Ernest, the ten-year-old son of Colby Brown, fell yesterday, and fractured his left arm.

Miss Houser, who teaches the fifth and sixth grades, and her mother, have taken the Merriam cottage for the winter.

Thomas Story is in Inyo country.

Capt. James Trueman is building a large barn on his Sixth-street property.

Miss Clara Crane has returned from Long Beach.

Mrs. Dufur is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Thomas, at Whittier.

Justice Gano Henry, who was a long time ill at the residence of Capt. T. W. T. Richards, Los Angeles, has returned home.

A daughter was born to the wife of Harry Comber.

The rain here injured hay left baled in the field.

EL MONTE.

FREAKY HOBO.

EL MONTE, Sept. 28.—Tramps are beginning to put in an appearance here. An unusual specimen called at farmhouses this morning. He described himself as a "gentleman" on his way to Los Angeles, and promised the Lord's blessing on those who would give him sustenance. He also asked for water to wash before eating, and developed an abnormal appetite for onions. The mind of this "Weary Willie" seemed to be slightly unbalanced, but he still claimed to have a mission in the world. Some of the women were frightened by his strange manner.

There is a great scarcity of small cottages for rent. Strangers in the neighborhood desiring residences have to go to other localities.

Mrs. McClure of Grand Rapids, Mich., is visiting at the home of Mrs. George Reese.

Rev. Mr. Ledford, State evangelist of the Presbyterian Church, closed a very successful revival last night. A large purse was given to him on his departure for Los Angeles.

The building of the new bank is almost completed and the bank will be opened October 15.

LORDSBURG.

NOTES AND PERSONALS.

LORDSBURG, Sept. 28.—The wife of H. Filey, formerly of La Verne, died in Los Angeles last week. Mrs. Filey and her husband had been divorced, and Filey's whereabouts are unknown. There are several young children, who will be cared for by W. F. Chappell, the father of Mrs. Filey.

The rainfall for the past twenty-four hours amounts to .38 of an inch. Considerable damage has been done to the prunes, which are in the drying yards.

In August, 1899, the orchardists of La Verne obtained their water from thirteen pumping plants, all owned by private individuals, and pumping a total of 164 inches. Since then some of these wells have been abandoned as unprofitable, and several new wells and pumping plants have been constructed and also abandoned, the owners having failed to strike sufficient water. There are, however, in La Verne today twenty-eight pumping plants, operating from thirty wells and pumping a total of 741 inches. Twenty-one are owned by private ranchers, while the rest are owned by seven corporations consisting of local ranchers. Most of this water is used on the orchards in La Verne, while some goes to Claremont and San Dimas. Water has been so plentiful in La Verne this year that the ranchers have not had the same difficulty to contend with that they had other years. In buying water it was the same as in buying merchandise. The vendee was often long in prices and short in weight, consequently, with the supply greater than the demand, it has been a case of the survival of the fittest.

T. H. Sherrill, Santa Fé agent here, has been transferred to Hemet, the Hemet agent coming here.

On the Emerald fruit farm of J. F. Cumberland at La Verne, the heaviest crop of prunes ever grown there is now being picked.

POMONA.

PUT OFF THE TRAINS.

POMONA, Sept. 28.—Scarcely a day passes that some one is not put off the east-bound overland trains here for traveling on scalpers' tickets, the discoveries being made by the train agents who accompany the outgoing trains as far as this city, and inspect all tickets. Train Agent Gunnison made a clever detection on the east-bound overland which reached here from Los Angeles shortly after 5 o'clock. He put off a man and woman who were traveling to Chicago on National G.A.R. tickets signed by one George C. Thayer. The first thing that aroused Gunnison's suspicion was the fact that the man, when asked to write his signature, that it might be compared with the original upon the ticket, unconsciously started to pen another name, but immediately wrote over it the name on the ticket. The train officer then commenced to fire a bunch of questions, and although the passenger then wrote several good forgeries of the name on the ticket, his protestations and those of the woman, who was even more voluble, were of no avail. When asked what he paid for the tickets, he named a sum far in excess of the original cost, as the train agent well knew, and upon other questions being put, the man plunged further into a tangle of lies. The tickets were taken up and here the couple were put off, still arguing. Then, just as the train was starting, the man quite unexpectedly grasped the woman and a dog she was carrying, and all three hustled on the moving train, and it is presumed he bought regular Chicago tickets at Colton. The train agent said it was one of the cleverest couples he had ever intercepted, and if the man had not made a mistake in starting the forgery and in stating the price of the tickets, the couple would undoubtedly have "passed." The train agent says that he has punched no less than one-third of the 30,000 of these special G.A.R. tickets that were sold to California, for about that number of excursionists have returned East via Southern California.

BY THE WAY.

The rainfall for the recent rain up to 7 o'clock this morning was .35 of an inch.

H. O. Henderson and family returned this morning from a three months' eastern trip.

The rain interfered with grape picking and prune drying in this locality. E. S. Gerling was at Etiwanda yesterday, and states that hundreds of tons of grapes were spread upon cheese cloth there, and the rain was doing much damage.

"Come all ye that are heavy laden"—put a "Liner" in The Times and the burden will be gone. Telephone your wants to Black 1111, and our Pomona Agency will take your ad. and send it to the main office.

WHITTIER.

PYTHIAN MUSTER-IN.

WHITTIER, Sept. 28.—Whittier had the largest and most enthusiastic celebration in its history Saturday evening, when Whittier Co., U.R.K. of P. was mustered in. Bunting and Japanese lanterns were put up all over the city, and the decorations in some cases were very elaborate. The national colors were prominently displayed everywhere, and the blue, yellow and red of the Pythians was a close second. Large arches of colored lights were contributed by the Edison Electric Company, which also doubled the street lights for the evening. A special train brought about 150 visitors, headed by Gen. McGlasher, and regimental and battalion officers. They were met at the station by the State School Band, Marshal Sherman Smith and G. S. Pennington, and the Whittier company, resplendent in new uniforms. The streets were lined with spectators for the parade which followed, the marshals, band, officers in carriages and autos, and the companies in uniform being the order. Hundreds of Roman candles and a large quantity of red fire were used to brighten the line of march, and with the lanterns and bunting used, gave to the city quite a gala appearance. After drilling at the intersection of Philadelphia street and Greenleaf avenue, the line of march was taken to the Pythian headquarters for the evening, I.O.O.F. Hall, where the formal mustering-in took place. This was followed by a banquet and the return of the special to Los Angeles. The following-named officers were among those present: Gen. McGlashan, Col. T. A. Nerney, Col. Cowley, Col. Sanders, Col. Burns, Col. Langenbeck, Maj. Lukins, Gen. Schaffner, B. V. Sargent, Grand Chancellor; D. K. Trask, Past Grand Chancellor; Col. Scarborough, Maj. Dodge, Capt. Stansbury, Capt. Routsahn, Maj. Cran, Lieut. Walker, Lieut. Perce.

SANTA MONICA.

BONTLY-NOVOTNY.

SANTA MONICA, Sept. 28.—Edward Bontly and Miss Alice Novotny were married Sunday at the home of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Tanner, on Fourth street. The ceremony was conducted by Rev. Mr. Gould, pastor of the Ocean Park Baptist Church. Mr. and Mrs. Bontly will live in Ocean Park.

NELSON EXONERATED FOR KILLING LOUD.

HYDE PARK RANCHER ACTED IN SELF-DEFENSE.

Evidence at Inquest Showed that Loud, Who Was Crazy With Drink, Was Set on to Murder Nelson by a Vengeful Italian—Latter Has Skipped.

John Loud, the Hyde Park brawler, who was struck on the head with a club by Joe Nelson, a rancher at that place, early Sunday morning, died at the County Hospital yesterday. Nelson was exonerated from blame by the Coroner's jury, which held an inquest on the body at Pierce Bros.' morgue yesterday afternoon.

Nelson's story and those told by his neighbors showed conclusively that the rancher acted in self-defense. Loud, who has for the past three months been employed at the Inglewood brick yards, was a character of the roughest type, and was fully equipped with whisky, weapons and evil intent to murder Nelson.

The blow with a heavy willow club fractured Loud's skull. The injured man was not conscious from a few minutes after he fell under Nelson's mighty blow, although he lived nearly twenty-four hours.

Joe Colombo, an Italian at Hyde Park, with a bad reputation, who seems to have been implicated in setting Loud on to attack Nelson, dumped most of his belongings into his wagon Sunday night, after having had an interview with Deputy Sheriff Yonkin and skipped out.

It seems that Saturday night Loud and Colombo loaded themselves into the latter's wagon and came to Los Angeles. They returned some time in the night and made the hours hideous for Nelson and his family, who live across the street from Colombo's house.

At daybreak Sunday morning Loud crossed the street to Nelson's, cursing like a madman and shouting that he would kill the whole family. Mrs. Nelson raised the curtain in her room and saw Loud on the porch not three feet from her window, brandishing a butcherknife. He called her vile names and said he was going to kill every one in the house.

Nelson, awakened by the noise, ran to the back porch, where Loud was standing. As he passed through one of the rooms he picked up the round of a chair. When he came onto the porch Loud backed down so that he stood on one of the steps.

"Get away from here; you're drunk and crazy," shouted Nelson. In answer Loud made a motion to stick the knife in Nelson, and the rancher hit him on the side of the head and knocked him over.

Loud got up in a few minutes and went across the street to Colombo's shack, cursing the Nelson family with increased vigor. Colombo opened the gate for him, and the two stood talking excitedly for fifteen minutes.

Then they both started for Nelson's house. When they were a few feet from the rancher's door Colombo stopped, evidently having been stricken with cold feet. But Loud, with one hand in his pocket holding the knife, and the other at his hip as though he were about to draw a pistol, kept on to the porch.

Nelson meanwhile had gone to the barn, a short distance from the house, and on his return, had picked up a heavy club. He stood on the porch waiting for Loud, and when the drunken brawler reached the bottom step he advised him to leave.

"My wife and children were screaming in the house," said Nelson, "and I was backed up against a wall, having retreated as far as I was able. I told the man to leave, but he cried, 'I'm going to kill you this time for sure, you dirty ——— ———.'

"He made a quick motion with his right hand as though to draw a revolver, and I struck him with the club over the head."

Loud keeled over and remained on his back for two or three minutes.

While he was down Colombo sneaked up and started to go through his pockets. He was in the midst of his "gloryl" when Nelson, who had gone into the house to allay his wife's fears, came out and drove the Italian away.

Then Loud staggered to his feet and made his way to the barn. Sitting down he took off one of his shoes in a crazy sort of way, and cursed with undiminished fury. He was trying to get off the second shoe when he fell over for the third and last time.

Nelson had the deputy sheriff at Hyde Park notify the Sheriffs' office, and Under Sheriff Yonkin and Deputy Sheriff Franklin went out to the scene of the affray.

After hearing Nelson's story, every fact of which was corroborated by neighbors who had seen the trouble, Yonkin decided that the rancher was in no way to blame, and did not take him into custody. Loud was brought to town in a wagon and taken to the County Jail. His injuries were apparently serious, however, and later he was removed to the County Hospital.

The inquest brought out no pertinent facts other than those stated. Deputy District Attorney McComas was present to recommend any action should it be necessary, but all of the evidence was so strongly in Nelson's favor that there could not have existed the least excuse for detaining him.

Little is known concerning Loud. He was a man of unknown nationality, about 35, and came to the Inglewood brick yards from San Francisco about three months ago. While there he spent his money for liquor. He was something of a crony of Colombo's, who owns three or four lots at Hyde Park, and kept his shack well stocked with a variety of liquors.

PREVENTED A MURDER.

The prompt action of Detectives Davis and Baker in a North Los Angeles-street saloon prevented a murder late Sunday night. They had gone to the place to look for a man who is wanted for larceny, and as they entered Ed Bahr was seen near an inner door quarreling. He did not notice the officers, and angered at something his antagonist said to him, he drew a revolver, and was in the act of firing when he was seized and disarmed. He was placed under arrest, charged with carrying concealed weapons, and was convicted in the Police Court yesterday. He will be sentenced today. Bahr declares that as soon as he is released he will kill his foe. He refuses to state who the man is.

He Got the Nickel.

John C. Cooper, who hails from Jacksonville, Fla., is in New York for a fortnight's stay, and has been recently a party to a unique real estate deal. Mr. Cooper tells the story:

"While recently waiting at the corner of Wall and Nassau streets for the return of a friend who had gone into an office across the way, I chanced to rest my foot in a nonchalant way upon the marble base plate of the iron fence of the building there located. Standing thus unoccupied, I was approached by a free-and-easy individual, who asked in a breezy way, 'Do you own this property, sir?'

"Now this property was the subtreasury of the United States, and thus accosted I was in some trepidation lest I might be a trespasser and a violator of some regulation of Uncle Sam. With some misgiving, therefore, I replied lightly, 'Yes, sir, in common with all American citizens, I am a part owner of this property.'

"'How much is the corner worth?' was the next question.

"'I should say about $4,000,000,' I replied.

"'Well,' said the free and easy questioner, 'I have an interest here, too. Let's see. Say there are 12,000,000 men in this country. That means that my share in this corner is worth about 33 cents. Stranger, I'll tell you what I'll do. I'll sell you my interest for five cents. That will get me a glass of soda water, and I don't care to get thirsty when I can realise on my assets and get a drink.'"—[New York World.

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To make the Opening especially attractive we have a number of fine hats we have had made up in our own workrooms by skilled milliners, representing all of the popular shapes in all the most wanted colorings and are absolutely the very best values for the money that could be offered. For the Opening days they will be specially priced at choice..... **$15.00**

Several Paris Hats Described.

From Caroline Reboux.

A turquoise plush dress hat with wide roll brim made with a shirred crown; the under-brim of white and gold plush and chenille applique trimmed with champagne plush ribbon bow and large, white ostrich plumes held in place with steel slide. To match this hat is a pleated turquoise chiffon collarette in a series of cape effects finished with long pleated streamers. This hat is shown in the illustration above.

From Mme. Virot.

Pearl gray sybeline velvet dress hat in Gainsborough shape, the underbrim of maline with chenille and jet applique in passion flower design. The trimmings are ribbon and gray shaded plumes held in place with cut steel ornaments.

From Lynn Faulkner.

A picture hat of gun metal velvet, shirred top, brim and crown edged with white velvet. The facing of chenille and jet, trimmed with shaded ostrich plume with cut steel stem, held in place with rosette of three-tone extracted gun metal satin ribbon.

From Loys Soeurs.

Heart shaped turban of brown velvet; the crown of appliqued chenille on silver spangled maline. The brim of folds of brown velvet faced with pleated silk in shade of maize toning to orange. The back is finished with long velvet bow caught with steel buckle.

New Corsets and Kimonos.

"Royal Regent" Corsets—a well known popular priced brand which we handle exclusively in Los Angeles. They are the new fall models; low, high or medium bust; long or short hip, and prices range from $1.00 up to **$3.50**

"La Vida" Corsets—absolutely the best of the fine French corsets and imported by us direct. They are in the most chic models and the materials are handsome embroidered Batiste and French Coutils. Prices range $5 up to..... **$15.00**

"Bonheur" Corsets—In artistic designs of French brocade, embroidered batiste in light and dark colorings. They are in all the new models and adapted to any figure. Prices range $5.00 up to **$15.00**

New Japanese Kimonos—Purchased by our Mr. M. A. Hamburger on his recent Japan trip. They are long styles in shades of blue, gray, white and green and are elegantly embroidered in handsome designs with wide embroidered sash. Prices range $50.00, $59.00, $65.00 and..... **$75.00**

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Hamburger's

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The City's Pest

Rogers, the editor of the Labor News—wife deserter, agitator, liar, grafter and professional disturber of communities, whose sole interest in Union Labor is measured by the $s and cts in it for Rogers; Hay, a poor weak-minded creature devoid of brains, a hireling and supposedly successful professional boycotter, imported to bankrupt us for advertising in the Times and said to receive $4,000 00 a year from Union Labor to use his specialty in lying about us. And lastly, poor old Lem Biddle in his dotage and fast declinging years has allowed these grafters to use him and affix the seal of the Council of Labor to the lies they utter concerning us. This trio are using the Labor Unions for their own gain. No self-respecting merchant would advertise in the Labor News. If the Labor Unions will elect conservative, respectable, honest men to the Council of Labor, and drive Hay, Rogers and Biddle from the city; Union Labor will have the respect and approval of the mercantile community of Los Angeles. To drive these vampires, leeches and bloodsuckers from your ranks should be the cry of every respectable mechanic of this city. The quicker that you learn (what we know) that Rogers, Hay and Biddle are interested in Union Labor for what they can make out of it, the sooner you will be rid of the cause that brings Union Labor into bad repute.

Our Fall Opening Comment

Not once but scores of times was the remark made yesterday that Hamburgers certainly deserved the highest encomiums of the Los Angeles women for having brought to this city such an elegant display of foreign and domestic merchandise. It was an Opening which fully repaid us for all our efforts for the thousands of people who thronged this store from the time the doors opened until they closed at night was an eager interested throng, and they were interested in every department. Not alone was the merchandise showing appreciated but the handsome store decorations, which have never been equaled by any firm west of Chicago, were subject of favorable comment; and while naturally the entire Los Angeles public were not in attendance, yet we very much desired to have all appreciate these beauties, and certainly assure you that such a grand Fall Opening is worth going miles to see. So lay aside your household cares and make it a point not to miss the greatest and most profitable to you Fall Opening ever held in our progressive city of Los Angeles.

Regal Excellence in New Costumes

London, Paris and Berlin have been drawn across the wide expanse of the Atlantic Ocean and thousands of miles of American territory to place before the Los Angeles public the very brightest, the best and most worthy garments manufactured by the world's celebrated modistes. There are scores of these handsome garments, all exclusive in style, all elegantly garnitured and certainly fine enough for the most aesthetic taste. All of them are correct in fit and finish and are for reception, fancy and dinner dresses, and are from such makers as Jelenik, Schnerb, Adolphe, Prevost, Sarah Meyer, Rothchild, Olivan and Morris Meyer; and the materials are Mousseline, Crepe de Chines, white and black lace, Voiles and Broadcloths. Prices range $75, $85, $100, $125, $150 up to $300.

To make this showing especially attractive and at the same time give you a chance to purchase a handsome costume much less than it is really worth we have reserved a handsome line of Crepe de Chine costumes in white, black or champagne for special selling during the Opening. They are elegantly garnitured with lace to match and are silk lined throughout. For today and tomorrow, choice..... **$39.00**

Other New Stylish Wearables

Demi-Tailored Suits

The materials of fine broadcloths, cheviots and zibelines; long coat effects, neatly trimmed with velvets, braids and ornaments; all of them made over foundations of taffeta. Prices range $65.00, $75.00, $85.00, $95.00, $125.00, $150.00.

"Honeymoon" Coats.

This is something new and are a most elaborate coat at a popular price. They are in Broadcloths or Coverts; black or tan shades; full lined or half lined; have deep capes; finished with belts and brass buttons. Prices $35.00, $39.00 and $49.00.

Handsome Silk Coats.

These are in peau de soie; made loose or tight fitting in long coat style; are prettily garnitured with braids and Persian trimmings and prices range $35.00, $45.00, $50.00, $65.00, $75.00 and $85.00.

New Silk Waists.

Peau de Soie, Taffeta allover lace effects; handsome in design, excellent in workmanship and are in all the new shades. In the lot are some Arabian lace waists. Prices range $5, $6.50, $7.50, $10.00, $12.50, $15.00 and $20.00.

New Silks and Dress Goods.

Imported Silk Crepe de Chine—an assortment of all the street and gala light colors as also cream, white, ivory and black. They are in Crepe effect; lustrous finish and are an ideal fall material for soft clingy gowns; are strictly pure silk; 24 in. wide and absolutely matchless at our Opening price per yard..... **$1.00**

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BEANS AND GRAINS LITTLE DAMAGED.

THE Los Angeles Farming and Milling Company reported that little if any damage has been done to hay or grain by Sunday's rainstorm. Scarcely any grain was exposed. What was not actually under roof had either been covered with straw or with canvas. Grain unthreshed may have sustained some damage, but this will be imperceptible, provided pleasant weather continues.

So gentle was the downpour that it seemed more like a heavy fog than a rain.

Inquiry at the Southern Pacific headquarters elicited the information that no damage had been done, and no injury would result in the event of warm weather following the storm. "Of course," said a well-known freight man, "if the weather keeps bad and we have more showers, you may expect serious damage. But our reports from various points in Southern California are all favorable. Raisins on the tray may be dropped a grade in quality, but hay and grain are not hurt, nor are the beans in the Santa Monica district, if we are advised correctly. There will be no popping of pods or mildew in case of dry weather from now on, because the rain was not heavy enough, and, although many hundreds of acres have just been cut, they are still green, and can stand rain just as well as if they were still standing."

R. C. Gillis, heavily interested in the farming possibilities of the Santa Monica bean belt, said he had heard from all the large growers, and they reported no damage. "I also telephoned Frank Barnard of Ventura," said Mr. Gillis, "and he informs me that Ventura did not have enough rain to measure, and, if she had, it would take an inch and a half to do any damage. He says he heard from Santa Ana and beans there have also escaped damage thus far. With warm weather Sunday's rain will not hurt us a particle."

There was no damage to the bean or any other crops in Ventura county.

SANTA MONICA BEANS SAFE.

Barring the chances of heavy showers later on and of long-continued periods of humid weather, the lima bean crop in the Santa Monica field is safe from damage by moisture. The happy fact in a nutshell—or in a bean pod—is that nature has generously protected the beans from injury by water.

With few exceptions the beans have been "cut" and stacked. The rain of Sunday, according to observations made about Morocco Junction yesterday, caused the moisture to permeate the stacks, but was not enough to wet the ground much under them. Ground not covered by bean stacks was wet to a depth averaging about one inch.

Beans which had been pretty well ripened before cutting and stacking appeared to be better prepared to withstand the effects of moisture. In the field lying northward from Morocco the beans when cut had not been well ripened. An examination of a number of stacks showed that near the bottom and center of each there were a good many leaves which had evidently been green when the beans were cut, and which, under the moist conditions, had blackened and were apparently about to rot. There was no mould or mildew discovered, however.

With rare exceptions the pods were unopened so that the beans were protected from the humidity. Beans in pods that had been opened were swollen and puffy, as if they had absorbed much moisture.

A lima bean pod is a tough, parchment-like thing, which seems ordinarily to be a hermetically-sealed covering for the beans. Bean men say that the leaves and vines may be mildewed to an advanced stage with little or no injury being done to the beans in unopened pods. Should such a condition develop the beans after being threshed might have to be sorted by hand in order to eliminate those which were in opened pods when the moisture came. The sorting operation might be tedious, but the good beans would suffer little from their evil company.

Inquiries brought forth information indicating that the conditions in other parts of the Santa Monica field were about the same as at oMrocco. One veteran bean grower of Ventura says that even two inches of rain will not seriously damage the crop unless there is a long period of humid weather. It is said that a crop harvested in Ventura county several years ago was exposed to two inches of rain without much injury.

Some anxiety is caused in the Santa Monica field by the fact that there are only three threshers operating. One of the three is on the Hammel & Denker ranch, and is intended for that ranch only. With the three threshers it is estimated that the threshing of the crop will occupy six weeks.

It is said that the old method of threshing by clearing a space in the field, piling it with vines and beating the beans out with horses driven in a circle over the space will not be employed about Santa Monica. It is still employed somewhat in Ventura county, but not to any great extent.

Partly cloudy weather yesterday was not as favorable to the drying process as clear sunshine would have been, but even as it was, there was a rapid evaporation of the moisture. It is expected that the vines will have dried within a few days sufficiently so that threshing may be resumed.

PYTHIAN KNIGHTS ARRAYED.

Visiting High Officials Warmly Welcomed to the City Last Evening by Local Knights.

The Knights of Pythias of Southern California turned out in force last night in this city to honor the presence of Grand Commander B. V. Sargent of Salinas and a number of other high officials of the order.

It was one of the most notable gatherings of Pythians ever held in this end of the State, for it included Knights from Long Beach, San Pedro, Redlands, Riverside, San Bernardino, Santa Ana, Whittier, Pasadena and Los Angeles. It was an official visit of these grand officers to this end of the State, and the reception took place in Pythian Castle at No. 108½ North Spring street.

The hall was beautifully decorated and the Uniform Rank of the order turned out in full force. Three companies under command of Col. G. S. Adolph, and led by a band, acted as an escort to Gen. Sargent and visiting officers from the Westminster Hotel to Pythian Castle. After arriving there some of the secret work of the order was performed, and there were a number of speeches. Following these ceremonies, refreshments were served.

About 350 local and visiting Knights were present. The distinguished visitors were B. V. Sargent, G.C., of Salinas; H. Schaffner, G.K.R. and S.; Col. T. A. Nerney and Maj. E. W. Laugenbach of San Francisco; Brig.-Gen. C. F. McGlashlan of Truckee; Col. T. J. Crowley of San Rafael and Maj. C. W. Long of Truckee. Capt. Kingswell was Acting Grand Master-at-Arms. The meeting last night was the sequel to the one held last Saturday night at Whittier, when a company of the Uniform Rank was formed at Whittier.

A pleasant episode was the presentation to Judge D. K. Trask, P.G.C., of this city by Gen. Sargent, of a handsome jewel.

It was announced that the Third Regiment of the Uniform Rank, consisting of twelve companies in this end of the State, has practically decided to go to Louisville next August in a body to attend the annual encampment. It is stated that there will be at least three hundred men in the party in addition to the wives, sweethearts and mothers of the Knights.

MAGNIFICENT DISPLAY AT HAMBURGER'S OPENING.

YESTERDAY'S THRONG OF PATRONS BEATS PREVIOUS RECORD.

Twenty-second Anniversary Made a Gala Occasion — Show Windows a Dream of Dresser's Art—Parisian Creations in Evidence that Charmed the Ladies.

Thousands of square feet of surpassingly lovely show windows, superb art effects, all over, bales upon bales of all varieties of beautiful new goods, scores of gowns and hats fresh from the dainty hands of their Parisian creators, queer-looking things of which no man might give the name, from all the islands of the sea, and a larger crowd than was ever before gathered within the four big walls of the store—these are the principal causes which combined to make Hamburger's twenty-second anniversary and annual fall opening, celebrated yesterday, more than a success.

The feature that appealed most, perhaps, was the unusually beautiful window display. To make these show places attractive E. L. Ambrose, an eastern artist in the employ of Mandel Bros., the great Chicago firm, was sent out here on a special mission. The scheme, as commenced in the windows, and carried out throughout the entire store, was a marine effect. Green was the principal color, and while the body of the space was used to show off the especial creations of foreign producers, at the back beautiful swathings of emerald, with a great circling wreath of green, inclosing a marine picture, was the feature. And the pictures were no mere inanimate daubs, either; instead, there were revolving lighthouses that blazed forth their red and white warnings with remarkable regularity, and tall-masted sailing vessels that tossed restlessly up and down upon the painted waves.

The two first floors, of course, held the most of the unusual crowd, as the large space of these emporiums is devoted almost exclusively to wearing apparel of all sorts. Especially was the heart of the feminine customer—and most of them were of the feminine gender—caught by the unusual display of dresses. It is asserted that no such large and costly display of smart frocks and natty costumes has ever been seen here. Certain it is that the combined result of months of endeavor on the part of both domestic and foreign modistes prduced a result that bewilders the matter-of-fact mind of man all to quickly. D. A. Hamburger has spent his last year in Paris, gathering together from the best makers a large stock of dress goods and millinery. There is a fine display of silks, imported direct from Lyons.

An unusual feature was the display of costly and hand-embroidered silk kimonos, which are an importation from Japan, being selected in that chrysanthemum land by M. A. Hamburger himself.

The millinery show, on the second floor, attracted a large number of women. A large stock of hats has just been put in, and all of the new arrivals are just from the hands of the best milliners of New York, London and Paris.

In a room on the third floor, done all in pure white, with a plentitude of shining mirrors and glittering electric lights all around, is the cut-glass display of the firm. This attracted many visitors, but it was roped off, and one might only look through from the outside. It was explained that in this place there is more than $10,000 worth of property, and of a kind rather difficult to guard. Three days ago an employé caught a woman acting suspiciously there, and when she had been taken to the Police Station nearly $100 worth of the crystal was removed by the matron from her hose supporters.

Throughout the store the marine scheme of decoration was carried out, little boys dressed in sailor costumes, and little girls in them, as well, adding to the effect. In the light wells a great green balloon was fastened to the top story, and from these depended at each floor dainty green parachutes. In the decoration 110,000 paper roses were used, as well as 5000 strings of smilax, 1000 strands of asparagus plumosus, and 1500 palms. Arend's Orchestra discoursed music throughout the afternoon.

Now that the formal opening is over the managers and decorators will be compelled to rush into the Christmas work. Today a force will begin to get things in shape for that celebration, beginning in the basement of the store and gradually, through the weeks that are to come, working toward the roof, and last of all taking the show windows.

PAINTERS WANT JOBS.

Five Eligibles Under Civil Service Want Board of Education to Oust Emergency Men—Board Notes.

Pronounced exception was taken to the action of the foreman in charge of the laborers in the City School Department, at the meeting of the Board of Education last night. In a communication five painters, all of whom have passed the civil-service examinations, claimed that three emergency men who have not passed the examinations have been retained in preference to themselves. The signers are T. A. Dupuy, W. A. Halleck, W. A. Henshaw, Howard Marshall and C. O. Thomas.

Director Page remarked that the letter was not very courteous to the board and so he moved to have it filed. Jessup followed this motion by saying that some of the statements in the communication did not appear to be true.

"None of the painters now at work are from my ward," said Director Goodhue, "and I would like to have this matter investigated to make sure that we won't do these men any injustice."

It was recited in the address to the board that the five men whose names were attached had passed with the highest averages, and they thought they should have any jobs that were coming. It seems that two or three of them were working for the city and that they were dropped to make way for the emergency men. The Civil Service Committee of the board will wrestle with the problem.

Yesterday the children in the Cascostreet school found the rooms nice and damp for them. The rain had soaked through the plaster and poured through the shingles, so they were all packed over to the West End Congregational Church. They will have to stay there until the leaky building is repaired, which will not be before another week.

The South Maple Avenue Improvement Association wants a school at Thirty-ninth street and Maple avenue because the children have to walk too far to school, and their lives are in danger from having to cross a railroad track. In a communication addressed to the board they represented that the district is growing very fast and there is need of another school. They promise 207 children to begin with.

The following were elected substitute teachers in the primary and grammar grades: Nellie H. Breen, Mary Hall, Ella Hand, Ida Klockenbaum, Bessie I. Knox, Mrs. Anna H. Obear, Florence D. Wood, Frances K. Mulvey. Miss elected substitute teacher in the High School. Leave of absence was granted to Pauline G. Curren and Miss Hart to the end of the first term; Bessie Mosher to October 12, and Miss McCormack to October 31. The resignations of Mary E. Foy, Josephine Spencer, Harriet M. Bergtold and Miss Bechett were accepted.

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